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U. S. SAILOR KILLED AND 18 HURT---SHELL HITS CRUISER

DEATH DEALING EXPLOSIVE FALLS ON THE AUGUSTA

None of The Wounded Seriously Hurt; Other Shells Hit Close By

CREW TO SHELTER BELOW THE DECKS

Fourth of Shanghai Is Reported Afire Due Bombs From Air

By The Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 20—One United States sailor was killed and eighteen wounded tonight when an anti-aircraft shell of undetermined origin struck the after well deck of the cruiser Augusta, flagship of the United States Asiatic fleet.

The Augusta, flagship of Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, fleet commander, has been lying in the Whangpoo river a little downstream from the heart of the international settlement, covering the evacuation of American refugees from stricken Shanghai.

The shell plunged from a high angle. Both Japanese and Chinese artillery and anti-aircraft batteries had been firing furiously through the late afternoon and into the night.

The sailor killed was Freddie John Falgout of Raceland, Fla.

None of the eighteen wounded was seriously hurt.

The shell struck the Augusta at 6:40 p. m., when Japanese and Chinese guns were roaring on both banks of the Whangpoo and from warships on the river.

Shortly before the Augusta was struck three big shells, believed to have come from Chinese guns concealed on rooftops in the northern Chapei area, plunged into the river close to the cruiser.

The Augusta's crew of 800 immediately was ordered to take shelter below decks. The crews of other American and foreign warships on the Whangpoo took similar action.

Shortly after the Augusta was hit another shell fell less than 100 yards astern of her on the Pootung side of the river.

Shortly after 10 p. m. (8 a. m. CST) Japanese warships on the Whangpoo and Chinese batteries to the south of the international settlement began a duel with big caliber guns. Under the detonations Shanghai rocked as if in an earthquake.

The Augusta stood by earlier today as two United States destroyers and Dollar Line tenders carried 1,000 American refugees down the river to board the liner President Hoover for Manila.

Admiral Yarnell had told the Japanese navy bluntly that United States vessels would navigate the Whangpoo whenever and however he desired without reference to anyone. This was in reply to a Japanese request that American naval authorities give the Japanese advance notice whenever they wished to navigate the Whangpoo after dark.

Fires Crackle in Shanghai

BY JAMES A. MILLS

SHANGHAI, Aug. 20.—An American sailor was killed tonight and eighteen were wounded when the cruiser Augusta, flagship of the United States Asiatic fleet, was struck by an anti-aircraft shell in the midst of terrific Chinese-Japanese artillery and aerial warfare along the Whangpoo river. None of the wounded was badly hurt.

Fires crackled in a fourth of all Shanghai at the time.

One-fourth of Shanghai was burning, the result of savage Chinese air bombings of Japanese properties in Pootung and the Hongkew district and Chinese land batteries blasting at Japanese defense lines in the eastern district.

American-owned buildings were believed engulfed in the flames which spread over wide areas unchecked.

The artillery duel between Japanese warships on the river and Chinese shore batteries was the fiercest of the eight-day-old battle for Shanghai. The international settlement rocked to the detonations.

Precautions Are Taken

Her crew of 800 was ordered to remain below decks as much as possible. Similar precautions were taken by the United States destroyers Edsall and Parrott and other foreign naval ships off Shanghai.

Some prepared to move to safer anchorages.

The Augusta, $10,000,000 9,050-ton flagship of Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, commander in chief of the Asiatic fleet, had stood by earlier today as the Parrott and Edsall and Dollar Line tenders carried 1,100 United States refugees down the Whangpoo to the Dollar Line President Hoover, bound for Manila.

At 10:30 p. m. (8:30 a. m. CST)

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PLEASING CONCERT BY ALL CITY BAND

Sedalia's new all city band, composed of children of the schools of Sedalia, was enthusiastically received in its first public concert at Liberty park Thursday night.

J. T. Alexander, director, who has instructed the children during the summer months, was highly complimented by the public, and surprise was expressed that the organization was so outstanding after having been organized such a short time.

The school band is something of which Sedalia may well be proud.

INJECTION OF A NEW ANGLE INTO BUILDING BONDS

R. E. O'Malley Suggests Funds Be Secured From Depositories

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 20.—A new angle was injected today into the state bond controversy when R. E. O'Malley, state superintendent of insurance, announced his intention to recommend that the state fund board obtain needed funds for its building program from depositories holding the impounded insurance rate case funds.

"I see no reason why the state should not benefit wholly from the interest earnings on its own money," declared the fiery insurance superintendent.

O'Malley said he would recommend, prior to tomorrow's meeting of the fund commissioners, that the board borrow the money from the insurance fund depositories.

New bids on the state's $3,000,000 block of building bonds will be received in Governor Lloyd C. Stark's office at 9 a. m. tomorrow. The fund commissioners decided Wednesday to reopen the sale of the bonds, after their private sale on July 20 to Baum, Bernheimer and Co., of Kansas City, at a $100,000 premium, had been criticized in financial circles.

"The Central Missouri Trust Company of Jefferson City, where 90 per cent of the impounded insurance funds is on deposit," said O'Malley, "can come before the commissioners tomorrow and offer a premium on the building bonds.

"That bank," he arrested, "has nearly $4,000,000 in impounded insurance funds in both the 10 per cent restitution case, and in the state's 16 2-3 per cent rate case, on which no interest is paid the state."

He said the $2,700,000 in the 10 per cent restitution rate case, impounded on the order of Circuit Judge Nike G. Sevier, was the state's money, and that the $1,700,000 in the 16 2-3 per cent belonged to policyholders under protection of the state.

Howard Cook, president of the Central Missouri Trust Company, in testifying in the legislative insurance investigation last March, said no interest was paid on the impounded insurance funds as he was of the opinion the federal banking acts of 1933 prohibited it, since the funds were demand deposits.

O'Malley said the state had borrowed approximately $3,000,000 from Cook's bank in the last four years, and had paid interest of $42,674.

The insurance superintendent said the insurance litigation now pending before the state supreme court would not be affected by the Central Missouri Trust Company bid on the building bonds.

Attorney General Roy McKittrick said last week there was no precedent for the state fund board's stipulation that bidders on the building bonds tomorrow offer a $150,000 premium. He said the board fixed that figure since critics of the private sale said the securities should bring that amount.

"It would be foolish," McKittrick said, "to accept a smaller premium when we have been told we should get at least $150,000."

The fund board, McKittrick held, has the legal right to accept new bids. The Baum Bernheimer contract he said, was not binding on the state.

Except for recent announcements of insurance rate reductions, this was O'Malley's first public statement since Stark late last month said the superintendent would not be reappointed, but might serve until next July 1. T. J. Pendergast, Kansas City Democratic boss, had requested O'Malley's retention.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—Bernheimer and Company, whose purchase of $3,000,000 state bonds at private sale July 20 has been reopened by the state fund board, said today it would "stand strictly upon its legal and contractual rights and if the contract is not carried out by the state we intend to litigate the matter to the highest courts.

George McLiney, vice president, declined to comment when asked whether the company would submit a new bid. He said the statement spoke for itself.

SHELLING UP TO U. S. OFFICERS AT SHANGHAI, CHINA

Speculation In Naval Quarters of Probable Protest on Affair

EVACUATION IS BEING CONTINUED

Warships Necessary To Guard Americans Leaving War Torn Area

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—President Roosevelt's weekly cabinet meeting discussed at length today the Sino-Japanese situation. One cabinet member said afterward the meeting was told it was a Japanese shell that fell on the deck of the American cruiser Augusta killing one sailor and wounding 18.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—President Roosevelt put up to Admiral Harry E. Yarnell and other American officials in Shanghai today the decision as to what this nation should do about the shelling of the cruiser Augusta there.

One sailor was killed and 18 wounded when an anti-aircraft shell fired in the battle between Chinese and Japanese exploded aboard the cruiser, the flagship of the Asiatic fleet.

This immediately stirred demands among some members of congress that the United States evacuate its citizens and withdraw from the war area as rapidly as possible. Other congressmen said the President should invoke the neutrality act, but some leaders expressed belief Mr. Roosevelt had acted properly in delaying invocation thus far.

There was speculation in naval quarters here that Admiral Yarnell probably would protest the shelling incident to both Japan and China.

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INTENSIFY QUEST FOR MISSING FLIERS

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Aug. 10.—A big-framed, black-bearded veteran of the Arctic—Sir Hubert Wilkins—brought new cheer today to an impatient crew of rescue pilots waiting for fair weather to push out over Polar wastes in their search for six missing Russian fliers.

Sir Hubert and his Canadian pilot, Herbert Hollock-Kenyon, arrived at Port Arthur, Ont., last night from Toronto. They planned to take off for Fort Smith, N. W. T., 1,200 miles distant, today.

Their huge silver flying boat, purchased by the Russian government for the expedition, will then fly north to help the other aviators search for Sigismund Levaneffsky and his five companions, last heard from a week ago today, several hours before their four-motored plane was expected in Fairbanks to refuel for a dash to the United States.

Levaneffsky took off from Moscow for a 4,000 mile flight here via the North Pole a week ago yesterday.

Jimmie Mattern, grounded for three days by bad weather, continued preparations here today for an exhaustive search of the northern Alaska coast and beyond to the Polar ice cap.

At Barrow, Alaska's northernmost tip, Pilot Bob Randall, veteran northland airman, planned to resume his quest for information concerning the lost fliers through interviews with scattered Eskimos.

The weather forecast here was for probable flying conditions toward the Arctic coast, but with fog along the coast.

Hydroplane To Search

BARROW, Alaska, Aug. 20.—A Russian hydroplane carrying four men arrived here during the night from northern Siberia to aid in the search for lost Soviet trans-Polar fliers.

The plane, flown by Pilot Zadkoff, Navigator Padalko and two companions, was refueled today and serviced to proceed eastward to Aklavik, N. W. T.

WOULD HOLD CHINA AND JAPAN LIABLE

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Great Britain will hold China and Japan responsible for loss of British lives or damage to British property in the Shanghai war zone.

Informed sources said tonight the two Oriental governments were told of Great Britain's position by government representatives at Nanking and Tokyo.

A protest to Tokyo was being made on "Japanese seizure of British properties in the international settlement," the sources said.

W. P. A. ROLLS ARE REDUCED TO 1,527,450

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Harry L. Hopkins announced today that Works Progress Administration rolls had been reduced to 1,527,450 persons.

Missouri State Fair Tentative Saturday Program

CHILDREN'S DAY—THRILL DAY

8:00 A.M.—Grounds open to the public. All children under 15 free all day, with carnival rides, ice cream cones, peanuts, popcorn and cold drinks only a nickel each to children, throughout the day.

10:30 A.M.—Special Children's Day Party, in the Grandstand, Free until 1 P. M.

1:30 P.M.—Concert by Musicians' Post Band, National American Legion Champions.

2:00 P.M.—Full Thrill Day Program, by Frank Winkley's "Suicide Club" of 10 Hollywood stunt men, doing motorcycle stunts and races, auto roll-overs, crash racing, leaps through burning boardwalls, motorcycle leap over a parked automobile, and many other dangerous, hair-raising acts, plus a special educational exhibition of crashes resulting from common driving errors, announced by Carl W. Brown, Chief Engineer, Missouri State Highway Department.

7:00 P.M.—Concert by Musicians' Post Band.

7:30 P.M.—Complete Performance by Winkley's "Suicide Club," in front of Grandstand.

10:60 P.M.—Elaborate, Special Children's Program of Thearle-Duffield World's Fair Fireworks, with over 40 unit groups of shells and special set pieces.

MANILA THROWN IN DARKNESS BY EARTH TREMORS

Terrifying Welcome There To American Refugees From China

By The Associated Press.

MANILA, P. I., Aug. 20.—Two sharp earthquakes threw Manila into darkness tonight in a terrifying welcome to American refugees arriving from war-torn Shanghai.

Manila residents fled from their homes and hotels into the darkened streets, where light wires lay in a tangled mess. Many fires started by the shocks, the worst in 40 years, added to the panic.

Several large buildings and a number of churches were damaged. Other major structures swayed noticeably. Many injuries but no deaths were reported during the confusion following the first shock about 8 p. m. The second tremor added new terror 20 minutes later. The shocks were felt at least 200 miles away.

Most terrified by the rumbling and shaking of the earth were the 376 refugees arriving aboard the President Jefferson to a supposed haven after their horrible experiences in Shanghai.

One girl among a score of screaming refugee women and children undergoing rigid inspection in the customs house, cried:

"Is this another war?"

The refugees had scarcely landed when the quake struck.

They had left a city of death behind and were greeted by the lively tunes of a United States Army band and the blazing lights of Manila.

A score or more were still in the customs house when the quake struck. The building swayed and creaked and the welcoming lights blinked out. Terror reigned.

The refugees had landed amid considerable confusion, some of them carrying babes in arms and others nondescript baggage they had hurriedly thrown together before fleeing from Shanghai.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and her son, Quentin, had hurried ashore under the escort of President Manuel Quezon's personal bodyguard and were whisked away in an automobile.

Some of the refugees were forced to look for persons expected to greet them on their arrival. Others carried their own bundles, some wrapped only in papers.

One small boy, barely able to walk, clutched tightly to a red tin play bucket.

The composure of all was largely restored when electric lights went on again.

Seismologists said the quake was centered three and a half miles from Manila. Recording instruments were knocked off their shelves. Additional quakes, but less severe, were forecast.

Escolta, Manila's main street, was damaged greatly and plate glass windows of many leading stores were shattered.

SEDALIANS TO CONVENTION OF YOUNG DEMOCRATS

Miss Alice Scott, Miss Mabel Lacey, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson and Emmett Sullivan left Thursday for Indianapolis, Ind., to attend the national convention of young Democrats.

MAN KILLS WIFE AND THREE SMALL SMALL CHILDREN

Admits Slaying and Says "I Guess I Just Went Haywire"

HUTCHINSON, Kas., Aug. 20—(AP)—Mrs. Eugene Paul Warner and her three children were found hacked to death Thursday and her husband, taken into custody, was quoted by County Attorney Wesley E. Brown as saying: "I guess I just went haywire."

Brown said Warner, a 31-year-old oil company employe, told him he struck them with a double-bladed axe and then attempted to take his own life by letting the weapon fall on his head five times.

The prosecutor related Warner told him he arose at 6:30 a. m. and walked into his wife's room, killing her and then his 21-month-old daughter, Adeline, who was sleeping with her mother.

Then, Brown said, he went into the other bedroom and killed his son, Billy, eight and another daughter Elizabeth Ann, three.

"There was no reason," Brown quoted Warner as saying. "My wife and I never quarreled."

Brown asserted, however, that he had been told by Clyde Yates, a friend of Warner's, that only last Tuesday Mrs. Warner had said, in the presence of her husband, that he had threatened to kill her and the three children.

Yates told Brown Warner had made no attempt to deny the accusation.

NORTH OSAGE AVE. OPEN TO TRAFFIC

North Osage avenue from Highway 65 to Pacific street, is now open to traffic, Elmer Herrmann, city engineer has announced. The street will remain open several weeks to permit traffic to move over it and to help pack down the gravel.

The avenue, closed for several months, is now one of the best in the city and has been greatly improved. Curbs have been placed on both sides and in between it has been regraded and filled in with rock.

Work was rushed the past few days to have it open for traffic coming into Sedalia for the Missouri State Fair which opens Saturday.

In a few weeks there will be a black-top dressing placed on the street to give it a hard finish.

DEATH DUE TO CARBOLIC ACID

Marion Canton, a farmer near Ridge Prairie, about 44 years old, ended his life by drinking carbolic acid about noon Wednesday. No reason was given for the act except that he has been despondent on account of ill health.

Mr. Canton leaves a wife who before her marriage was Miss Bessie Alfrey; one daughter; Dorothy of Marshall; two sons, Buddy and Gene of the home; T. W. Canton, his father of Nelson; four brothers, Warner of Mt. Leonard, Huston and Dave of Marshall and Ireland of Kansas City; three sisters: Mrs. Tom Taylor of Pilot Grove, Mrs. John Martin and Mrs. Clarence Biggs of Ridge Prairie.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Norma Nathalie Melton Wins in Second Night of Beauty Pageant

Vandalia Representative Is Runnerup; Excelsior Springs Beauty Third

A second night in the finals of the state beauty pageant saw Miss Norma Nathalie Melton, of Princeton, take the laurels out of a group of 34 girls Thursday night at the Liberty theatre.

Miss Betty Lou Cubertson, of Vandalia, was runner-up.

By virtue of her triumph Thursday night Miss Melton gained the right to compete with two other girls for the crown title of Miss Missouri 1937. One girl, either Miss Melton, Miss Sally Craighill, or tonight's winner of the group contest, will be chosen to bear the title immediately after tonight's beauty pageant proper.

The girls, shown in a group first to the full-house audience, were introduced singly afterwards by E. J. Jordan, state-wide pageant supervisor. As in the first night's show the group of 34 girls was then reduced to ten, then five, three two and one.

In announcing the winner the curtain was drawn showing Miss Melton on a throne with a bouquet of flowers in her arms.

Miss Melton, who was sponsored by the High School Athletic As-

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MRS. DIXIE GRAVES TO LET GOVERNOR SHIFT FOR SELF

Wife of Alabama Executive To Sit In Senate Five Months

APPOINTED TO SEAT VACATED BY BLACK

Election Be Held In April To Fill The Unexpired Term

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Affable Mrs. Dixie Bibb Graves of Alabama is going to let her governor-husband shift for himself while she sits in the United States senate for five months.

"Always before," she said, "we have gone everywhere together—done everything together.

"When he became governor, I felt his job more important. I did everything possible to help him, and limited the club activities which had been my principal interest outside my home."

The governor announced he chose his wife, not only because she is "best-fitted" but because he did not want to give any candidate for the nomination an advantage. A hot fight for the senatorship is expected with the fiery J. Thomas Heflin, former senator and blunt-speaking foe of Wall Street, Tammany Hall and the Roman Catholic heirarchy, an avowed candidate, and the prospect there would be eight others.

Representative Lister Hill, Montgomery, and State Senator J. Miller Bonner, Camden, already have announced their candidacies. Others mentioned as possible candidates or who have said they were considering coming out include Representatives Frank W. Boykin, Mobile; Sam Hobbs, Selma; Joe Starnes, Guntersville; Donald Comer, textile manufacturer; Lawrence Lee, legal adviser to Governor Graves, and John

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JOHNSON JAILED ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Carl Johnson, described by federal officers as the present "king of Pettis County bootleggers," is being held in the Cole County jail in default of a $1,000 bond set by Deputy United States Commissioner Edna Morris, after he appeared before her to answer charges of concealing untaxed liquor.

According to federal authorities Johnson served three-months jail sentence on a liquor charge last year.

The Sedalian was arrested Thursday morning by George Craig, of the United States Internal Revenue Department, Dallas Grose, of the state liquor department assisted by Constable Forrest Poindexter of Sedalia. He had very cleverly hidden the confiscated ten gallons of untaxed liquor in a false closet in his home.

E. B. FARLEY OF SEDALIA VISITOR IN HONG KONG

Friends of E. B. Farley of this city who with his granddaughter, Miss Elsie Blanchard of Massachusetts, are visiting a daughter and aunt, Mrs. Barrett Emmert and family in Hong Kong, China, are anxious to hear from him with reference to the trouble in that country.

The only word received from Mr. Farley and granddaughter since they sailed was a cablegram received about a week ago by Miss Blanchard's mother in the east that they had arrived safely.

EARLY SCORES IN THE BIG LEAGUES

American League

Philadelphia 000 000 4
New York 000 042 0

Ross, Nelson and Brucker; Andrews, Murphy and Dickey.

Home run: Nelson, 7th.

Washington 000 201 0
Boston 000 100 0

Weaver and R. Ferrell; Grove and Desautels, Berg.

Home run: Cronin, 4th.

Cleveland 00
Chicago 11

Galehouse and Pytlak; Lee and Sewell.

Detroit .....
St. Louis .....

Gill and York; Knott and Hensley.

National League.

Boston 001 220
Brooklyn 100 110

MacFayden and Lopez, Mueller; Butcher, Henshaw and Phelps.

New York 310 0
Philadelphia 002 1

Castleman, Schumacher, Coffman and Danning; Lamaster and Atwood.

St. Louis 202 000
Pittsburgh 004 200

Johnson and Owen; Blanton and Todd.

Home runs: Mize 1st; Medwick 3rd.

Chicago at Cincinnati, night game.

COOLER AFTER SHOWER FALLS

Delightfully cool weather today with .13 rainfall this afternoon was most welcome to the many visitors who are already here for the opening of the Missouri State fair Saturday.

The rainfall, while not as much as had been hoped for, was beneficial to vegetation which has been badly in need of moisture for some time.

FOR RETIRING OF JUDGES AT 75

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Senator Connally (D-Tex) offered a constitutional amendment today for compulsory retirement of future supreme court justices at 75 years of age and to prohibit them from holding political offices after once serving on the high tribunal.

CONGRESS MOVES NEARER TO ITS CLOSING HOURS

Little Major Legislation Be Left To Be Taken Up In January

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20. — The senate swiftly disposed of the last major bill standing between it and adjournment today by approving a $140,000,000 deficiency appropriation measure.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20. — Congressional leaders virtually abandoned hope of adjourning congress tonight when senate-house conference committees failed to reach an agreement on the important Wagner housing bill.

House Leader Rayburn told reporters a resolution for adjournment tonight definitely would not be brought before the house.

He said he had told Senate Majority Leader Barkley it would be impossible to adjourn before tomorrow and Barkley had agreed with him.

"I want to adjourn the house tomorrow before sundown," Rayburn said. "I hope we won't have a night session for the last session."

He spoke of a possibility of winding up the work of the house somewhere between 2 and 5 o'clock tomorrow and asserted he would propose that it assemble at 10 tomorrow morning.

Senator Walsh (D-Mass) ranking senate member of the housing bill conference, a few moments before had said the committee probably would not reach an agreement before tomorrow.

"It can't be done," he said, when informed that leaders wanted to wind up the session tonight if agreement could first be reached on the housing bill.

In quick succession representatives accepted a conference report on the revised sugar control bill and approved minor senate amendments to the administration's tax loophole measure, sending both bills to the White House, where the controverted sugar bill faced an uncertain fate.

The Wagner housing bill possibly held the key to adjournment, although another major factor was the fact that the house had a full calendar for today and a private bill session—dear to the hearts of members—set for this evening.

While the house moved down its crowded calendar as rapidly as possible, the senate debated the $138,000,000 third deficiency appropriation bill. The bill was millions larger than when it passed the house.

The senate finance committee added $53,000,000 to it and cut $14,700,000 off that the house approved.

The night session in the house was announced by Speaker Bankhead after a conference with Majority Leader Rayburn. Bankhead said it was decided upon at the request of private bill authors who had been clamoring for action.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20—Congress finished most of its work today, ready for an unspectacular adjournment this weekend of the long.

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INSURGENTS PLOD ON FOR SANTANDER

By The Associated Press.

HENDAYE, France, (Spanish border), Aug. 20.—Santander and the Spanish northwest today appeared doomed to a quick fall before Generalissimo Francisco Franco's columns, slowly but relentlessly slogging through rain and mud.

"It's only a question of days," said several French and Belgian citizens who arrived at Bayonne from Santander, last important city-stronghold of the government in Northwest Spain.

These refugees said famine faced the city.

Today, Franco's troops pounded through a natural barrage of fog and rain. The generalissimo's communique said his forces met strong resistance in all sectors on the Santander front, with government troops reinforced by thousands of men rushed from the Asturias.

ANNUAL STATE FAIR WILL OPEN HERE SATURDAY

Livestock and Other Exhibits Are Largest In Many Years

CHILDREN'S DAY AT THE EXPOSITION

Thrill Program To Be Offered In Afternoon and at Night

Missouri's thirty-seventh annual State Fair opens here Saturday morning with the largest livestock entries and premium offerings in years and a record-breaking attendance predicted by officials. It will continue through Saturday, August 28.

Approximately 1,400 heod of show animals will be on exhibit, including the largest Jersey show in the history of the fair, the largest horse show for a decade or more, the largest mule show in about 20 years and the largest swine show in 15 years or more.

In the horse divisions, 189 show horses have been entered, 52 draft and coach horses, and already 25 running horses are on the ground. Fair officials believe the mule show, with its 88 animals, probably will prove to be the largest single mule show in America this season. In addition, 78 jacks and jennets will compete for premiums.

Cattle entries total 792, of which 242 are Jerseys, swine entries total 580 and sheep 242.

Entries in the agricultural department also are heavier than for several seasons. Premiums in all departments total $48,165.25.

The fair will open with a special children's program Saturday morning and a thrill program in the afternoon and evening. Fireworks will be displayed nightly

On Sunday, American Legion day, the fair is offering national circuit championship automobile races in the afternoon and a radio review in the evening. The second auto race will be on the final Saturday afternoon.

The night horse show will open in the coliseum Monday evening for five nights. The same night, Ernie Young's musical show will open in the grandstand and continue through Saturday.

Running horse races will be featured Monday and both running and harness races for the next four afternoons.

Gov. Lloyd C. Stark will be present Wednesday, governor's day, when the horseshoe pitching tournament will be held.

St. Louis Day

A special train will bring St. Louis and St. Louis county business and civic organizations to Sedalia next Tuesday on the annual State Fair excursion sponsored by the St. Louis city and county Chambers of Commerce, W. H. Willcokson, chairman of the committee. About 40 clubs will be represented.

Safety Program

Necessity for eternal vigilance on the part of every operator of a motor-driven vehicle will be stressed by Carl W. Brown, chief engineer of the state highway department, in comment on accidents that

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NOOZIE

The Weather

Mostly cloudy, local thunderstorms this afternoon or tonight in east and south portions, except tonight or early Saturday in extreme southeast portion, becoming generally fair elsewhere Saturday. Slightly cooler in central and north portions tonight, and in east and extreme south portions Saturday.

Lake of Ozarks Stage

Lake of Ozarks two and nine-tenths feet below full reservoir.

Sunrise and Sunset

Sunrise 5:35 a. m., sunset 7:06 p. m.

The Temperature

The temperature at 7 a. m. was 76 degrees above zero; 74 at noon and 75 at 3 p. m.

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ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Driving about town, passing the churches, one notes the reappearance of an old custom, a revival of a fundamental social rite.

The affair is usually, and most favorably, proclaimed by strings of Japanese lanterns casting their colorful but subdued light upon the animated scene. Beneath the lanterns are many tables and chairs, seated in the chairs groups of young and old, family parties, friends. Moving about among the tables are smiling women, in their hands dishes, in the dishes, ice cream.

The affair then is the lawn social or ice cream social, a favorite device of church workers. The goal, the Omaha World says, may be to raise a little money for the mission fund or new hymn books. That, after all, seems irrelevant. For the function invariably brings out a considerable gathering, not only of members of the church but of families in the neighborhood. Chatter is gay and informal, the warm talk of friends having a good time together. Banter and laughter is most spirited where the youngsters gather. The atmosphere is distinctly one of good will, confidence, cheer.

It is a good sign when pleasant old customs can be successfully revived. They are a relief from the mad scurrying about in the hectic pursuit of pleasure. Once in a while, surely, it is good to be content with very simple things, to rediscover the satisfaction of friendly fellowship.

VILLA'S GOLD SECRET OUT

From the New York Sun.

Confidential to gold hunters!

From trustworthy sources come reports that Villa, the Mexican bandit chief, hid a pot of gold—several pots in fact—in a cave in the Sierra Madres in the State of Durango, Mexico. The secret has been let out by some of the followers of the bandit leader who say that Villa carried his gold with him, that is, on pack burros. It will be recalled that he was kept on the move most of the time, but that he did manage to collect huge levies from wealthy businessmen in various towns and cities that he visited on his numerous raids.

It is a fact that he did assemble $500,000 at one swoop when he raided the Banco Mineral in the city of Chihuahua. The story further goes that one night when he was being rather hard pressed he, his treasure train and an armed guard of four desperadoes rode out of camp at Tepehuanes, Durango, and headed for the mountains. Six days later Villa came back, alone. His guards were gone and also the mules. His followers considered it unwise to ask him what became of them. They knew him too well.

It wasn't long afterward that Villa made peace with the Mexican government by agreeing to accept a ranch in Chihuahua. Although he received a pension, he spent money far in excess of it. He would often disappear from his ranch for a few days and upon his return would appear to be loaded down with money. A group of Texans under the direction of Prof. C. S. Sonnichson of the Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy plans to see what can be done toward locating the pot of gold. It ought to be quite an interesting hunt.

Top price for "an inexpensive but adequate diet" in the United States should be $2.70 per person per week, according to figures from the department of agriculture.

TREND TO SUPERHIGHWAYS

From the New Orleans Times-Picayune.

Last spring a "superhighway" program for New York was submitted to that state's legislature by Col. Frederick Greene, state superintendent of public works. His was a 13-year plan involving a total outlay of 300 million dollars for a superhighway system "de luxe." The legislature took no action upon it so far as we have seen. Now comes the Chicago regional planning association with plans for a superhighway system to serve what is sometimes called "Chicagoland," a radical territory extending from Milwaukee, Wis., to South Bend, Ind.

Like the New York program, the Chicago association's project contemplates boulevards much wider than most of those now in use, their broad 1-way lanes separated by neutral grounds. The Chicago planners go a step farther than the New Yorkers, however, by providing separate roadways for trucks. Their system, that is to say, would have two parallel highways for traffic in each direction, so that the trucks, and presumably other bulky vehicles, may have roads of their own to keep them out of the lanes used by passenger cars.

Separation of truck and passenger car traffic already has been given a start in a small way. Trucks are forbidden the use of light-surfaced park roads in many cities and some have barred the heavy and bulky commercial vehicles from certain thoroughfares, to promote traffic safety and convenience. The superhighway system, when and if constructed, will in all likelihood embody the Chicago planners' idea. That provision not only would make motor travel easier and pleasanter, but would greatly reduce the highway hazards.

Accidents caused by collisions or "sideswipings" involving trucks nearly always produce fatalities or dangerous injuries, and there are many more of them than there should be. On the special truck lanes would travel the trailers also, we suppose. Elimination of grade crossings and intersections will also be an indispensable feature of the superhighway. Motorists the country over stand ready to welcome this new facility, but because of its huge cost we fear they will have to wait a weary while for any great scale provision thereof.

The Himalaya mountain range in northeastern India contains 50 peaks more than 25,000 feet high.

Anthony Eden, Great Britain's foreign secretary, can speak several oriental languages fluently.

When imprisoned in aquaria, octopi sometimes resort to suicide, devouring their own arms.

The August award for versatility goes to a local hay fever sufferer who just learns he is allergic to chocolate, pork and milk.

The old-time baseball star lived more or less in the dark. He had no radio to tell him what that was he had for breakfast.

Il Duce was always very decent about not resenting his many imitators. After all, imitating a new Caesar is the sincerest form of flatulence.

Looking BackwarD

FROM FILES OF THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

FORTY YEARS AGO

Aside from the sea of lace, trimmed in smilax, which will adorn the altar of Sacred Heart church on Sunday, on the occasion of Rev. Father Glass' first mass, the most handsome decorations will be the tall candlesticks, which will be donated to the church today by E. G. Cassidy.

J. T. Crenshaw and family are moving into their elegant new home on Sixth and Harrison and will be "at home" to their friends next week.

TEN YEARS AGO

The city of Sedalia and "Uncle Sam" may do some swapping. The council discussed the proposed trade of the city hall building as a site for a new postoffice.

J. Ogden Armour, Chicago packer and capitalist, died there of heart disease.

A. V. Thaviu, director of the famous Thaviu band has arrived in Sedalia to make preparations for the grand opera pageants and daily band concerts at the Missouri State Fair.

"JUST TOWN TALK"

Copied Right By "P. E. P."

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The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

TRADE MARK REGISTERED

WASHINGTON—Neither A. F. of L. nor C. I. O. leaders will shed any tears if the wage-hour regulation bill does not pass this session.

Of course they are not saying this publicly. That would be impolitic. But privately they will be just as well satisfied if action on the measure goes over until next year. There are two reasons for this attitude.

First, the bill suspended in mid-air in the House, as a result of the refusal of the Rules Committee to allow it to be considered, does not suit them. Both labor camps consider it weak and too restricted in scope.

Second, they feel the chances of putting through a more drastic measure will be a great deal better next year.

The Congress that convenes next January will have its eye cocked on the primary elections in the spring and summer. That means that a lot of the boys who have been cold to the legislation this session will be much more tractable next year. That always happens in election years, and particularly in a doubtful one, as 1938 is certain to be.

Further, a farm bill is scheduled to be considered next session. The rural members, for the most part either hostile or indifferent to the wage-hour bill, will want labor support. That will open the way for the pro-labor members to do some log-rolling in behalf of their measure.

So the laborites are taking their apparently rebuff philosophically and biding their time for 1938.

Mysterious Tactics

The resistance of the Southern Democrat-Republican coalition on the Rules Committee to enactment of the legislation this session is difficult to fathom.

To begin with, the bloc can't stop the bill being acted on next session. If the group persists in its obstructionism, the laborites can easily brush the Rules Committee aside by a petition to discharge the bill from committee and bring it directly to the House.

Moreover, the Senate has passed the bill and the House Labor Committee has approved it by a large majority. With many Congressmen facing uncertain election fights, they cannot afford to go into the campaign wide open to attack for not voting on the issue.

Finally, dragging the bill into next session will gave labor an excellent opportunity to put on the heat to make it more drastic.

The Rules Committee coterie unquestionably administered a stinging defeat to the President in axing his bill. But in the end it may find its triumph a costly one.

Sweatshop Schools

In fact, the kick-back already has started.

The Works Progress Administration has made preemptory demands on a group of Mississippi communities for the return of relief funds, which they used to erect mills for Northern manufacturers. The mills employ school children at pay scales as low as $3 and $4 a week, and complaints have poured into the WPA.

The money was allotted to these towns for the purpose of erecting vocational training schools. When WPA investigated, it discovered that the buildings were not schools but factories. They had been turned over to Northern concerns as an inducement together with cheap labor, to bring their business to the towns.

The latest instance of this was in Ellisville, Miss. WPA officials have notified trustees of an agricultural high school and junior college there that unless they immediately return $24,537 contributed by the Government, legal action will be taken against them.

The other cities under fire are Brookhaven, Columbia, Lumberton, and Philadelphia, Miss.

Eastman's Boys

Joseph B. Eastman, veteran member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is renowned as an authority on railways. Appointed by President Wilson on the recommendation of Justice Brandeis, he was reappointed by Coolidge and Hoover and recently was given another six-year term by Roosevelt.

In the government service, Eastman rapidly is becoming famous on another count—as a picker and trainer of talented men.

There are now six high government executives who began their careers as "Eastman Boys." The latest to join this select band is John L. Rogers, whom the President has just promoted from chief of the Motor Carrier Bureau to a member of the ICC. Rogers came to the Commission 20 years ago as a boiler inspector, and under the tutelage of Eastman worked up from the ranks.

Other Eastman proteges holding posts are Otto Beyer, member of the National Mediation Board; James Carmalt, chairman of Board; Robert Freer, member of the Federal Trade Commission; Murray Latimer, chairman of the Railroad Retirement Board; and M. M. Caskie, member of the ICC.

Note—Two other ICC Commissioners who were not Eastman proteges also rose from the ranks. They are Charles D. Mahaffie, for years chief of the ICC's Finance Bureau; and Frank McManamy, who entered the Commission's service 20 years ago as a locomotive inspector.

Merry-Go-Round

The gubernatorial ambitions of J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency, have taken him to California frequently during the past six months. In fact, he is now spending only about half his time in Washington....Chairman Key Pittman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee reports that the only ardent proponents of ratification of the U. S.-Panama treaty are holders of Panama bonds, which would appreciate materially if the new treaty went into effect....Commenting on sudden Congressional interest in crop loans, Secretary Wallace remarked at a press conference that "interest varies inversely as the square of the distance to home."....Navy Secretary Swanson, who formerly held press conferences every Wednesday, now rarely meets the press.....The same mail brought two letters to Representative Jerry Voorhis of California, one saying, "You bring to Congress a sincerity of purpose, a sense of humility and a love for your fellow man." The other letter read, "I respect such men as you like I do a polecat."

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Almanac Information

August 20, birthday of Benjamin Harrison, president, born, 1833.

August 21, birthday of William IV, England, born, 1765.

Historical event, August 21, Charter Oak blown down 1856.

Diet and Health

by DR. LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

ORIENTAL IDEAS ON THE HEALTH

The wisdom of the east—to that dark and brooding land where teeming masses of mankind lived so long in isolation—many men and women of our western world have always turned time after time, with pathetic faith that during those long centuries when they were uninfluenced by any other thought, the wise men of the east must have evolved a way of life truer and more satisfying than our own. And so we find, although less frequently than formerly, the medical rules for health of the Orient recommended to us.

From New Zealand we are presented with the three requirements of health:

1. A happy and contented mind.
1. Right use of foods.
3. Sensible general habits.

Such simplicity reminds one of the Right Views of Buddha. And I agree that the attainment of these would go far to make for health and happiness. Certainly if you can acquire a happy and contented mind and throw out fear, worry, anxiety, resentment, self-pity, bad temper, pride, greed, jealousy and cruelty you would go a long way toward avoiding the necessity of going to the doctor. If you would simply make up your mind that everybody is fated to have a little ill health it would make for more sanity.

No one can deny that a wholesome diet leads to a sense of well-being. And nowadays more than ever before, when we know the essentials that science has laid down for a balanced diet, it behooves us to follow it.

Exercise and Cleanliness

Exercise (or else self-massage), cleanliness, sunlight on the naked skin, comfortable clothes (never overclothe) and good posture, and fresh air are some of the things Dr. Ulric Williams of New Zealand includes in his sensible general habits. (See the Magazine Health Digest, July, 1937).

Even more suggestive of the influence of the Orient is the article on health in the Rosecrucian Digest of San Jose. The author suggests a very interesting possibility. He would like to see a number of typical Western invalids lined up. The sickly individual who spends all his time ringing the doorbells of physicians, looking for a miracle cure: then the man who constantly wants a thorough examination, hoping that some day some doctor will verify the existence of an imaginary complaint: then the person who believes he can be cured only by some remedy unknown to the medical profession, found by one who has experimented so extensively that he has found the elixir of life in the sands of the sea; then the doubter who does not believe anything will ever cure him: then the man who believes that only by developing all his muscles until he is contoured like a figure in an anatomy book will he be healthy.

It would indeed be interesting to gather such a group together and hear their arguments. To them, according to the Rosecrucians, the spirit of the East would say: "Cease all your futile bickerings and learn the secrets of living which my people have followed for untold centuries. It is to regard health as normal, and to accept life as it comes. The physician should not only treat us when we are ill but show us how to live so that we will attain the normal life which is the life of health."

What They Say

Hugo Sparn (Kiwanian)—I believe the high school boys who give their time and effort to provide good football for the fans should have some protection in cold weather when they are pulled from the game because of injuries or substitutions. Coming from the game tired and perspiring it is not good for their health to sit on the bench without a hood-blanket around them. Sedalia ought to see that their boys are properly equipped.

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J. B. "Doc" Greer, county collector—When they build a new sidewalk around the courthouse why don't they make a concrete parking spot on the north side of the building for courthouse officials and their employes. It would not interfere with anyone and would certainly be convenient.

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Don Davenport (playground supervisor)—This summer we planned to have a sailboat building and sailing contest at Liberty Park lake, but it dried up. Inquiry revealed that crawdads had drilled so many holes in the west end seeking moisture that the lake would not hold the water.

ALL OF US

ROUTINE OR DRUDGERY?

I WAS TIRED of the routine of my life . . . or I thought I was.

So I opened the front door of my house and went out into the night and sat in a little garden.

The full moon shone over my shoulder and made bright an evening primrose so that it was white in the night and on its petals the dew gleamed like jewels. The mint was sweet in the evening air and the leaves of the briar rose gave freely of their fragrance. The cat came near and lurked in the shadows of a little maple tree. And it was very pleasant to be there.

So I fell into simple thoughts of the routines of other things than myself. . . . Of the moon that grew from a thin crescent in the twilight to a great golden ball on the line of the hills. And waned and waned and waned, month in and month out, year after year and century after century. Of the perennials in th garden that flowered each summer. Of the earth that turned on its axis and flew around the sun. And of the sun itself, that moved in some great orbit through the universe . . . And my imagination returned to the earth and though of the rhythm of human beings, and the cycles of the race, and of the beat of my own heart and the pulse in my wrist, and the tidal raise and fall of a man's happiness and of a number of other things.

And sitting there in that moonlit garden, it came to me that it was not of routine, at all, that I was weary. I had confused routine with drudgery—and they are not identical. I had mistaken the necessary and lovely routine of life with the mean,slavish and murderous repetition of futile acts. . . . And of course I had been unhappy.

It had required the bright moon and the faint stars and the reminder of the seed in the earth and the seasons in the year and passage of our round home through the heavens to make me recall the difference between the routine that preserves the best in life and the drudgery that kills the soul of man. . . . Because there is purpose at the heart of routine, but only torture in drudgery. Routine is what I do gladly for myself or those I love, but drudgery is the task imposed upon me from without.

I thank the summer night for this blessed reminder.

Love is for Tomorrow

By VIRGINIA SCALLON

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CHAPTER 29

MARCIA, still waiting for Sandy, caught Paula's apprehensive glances toward the clock when a full hour passed, and there was still no sign of Sandy.

"He said to send an ambulance if he didn't come back," she began seriously. "Do you suppose—"

The opening door cut short her question, and Sandy himself stalked in. He stopped abruptly when he saw Marcia, saying, "What are you doing here?"

Marcia was overwrought, worrying over the possible crisis at Acme, and she answered briefly, "Nothing much. I came to see you."

The man looked intently at Marcia, and as he studied her sincere and charming face, he couldn't find it in his heart to credit any of the slurring remarks of either Abe or Walt. "Come into my office, Marcia. I want to talk to you," he said, and her heart beat quickly. What did he have to tell her that caused him such grave concern? She waited while he discussed some instructions with Paula, then faced him bravely.

"I'd like to know why you went to Acme," she came directly to the point. "That is if it's any of my business."

"I guess anybody on the floor could tell you. I kicked up quite a rumpus I'm afraid—I hope!" he said, and of a sudden he saw the funny aspect of the recent trouble, and grinned boyishly. "I'll bet that little shyster hasn't had such a thorough licking since his mother used to use the hairbrush on him."

For a minute Marcia joined his mood, relishing the idea of the pompous Abe in a rough and tumble fight. Then she wondered what had caused the fisticuffs and questioned Sandy. "Why? Did you hit him on general principles?"

"Well—there, and a few other places!" Then he suddenly sobered. "Marcia, what can honest men do against the tactics Acme is using to undermine the advertising profession? I guess you know he's been living off the 'little fellow' whom he's somehow gotten under his thumb."

Marcia nodded. "That's one reason why I left Acme. I didn't tell you before because it involved a lot of other disagreeable things. But Abe's got a stranglehold on some of the tradesmen who would do anything to get in good with his partner's wealthy father, old man Hartley. If Hartley doesn't crack through with some pretty juicy contracts that will help these fellows to make up their losses on Abe—well, there will be trouble."

"I thought it was something like that. Doesn't he realize that an advertising agent holds as trustworthy a position as a doctor or a lawyer, a scientifically trained man whose obligations are to analyze economic problems and to stimulate a justifiable demand for his client's goods? That's his first aim: service. The money is secondary."

Marcia was glad once more to be in the confidence of Sandy, and his straight analysis of his own position pleased her. She looked about the office to see that his strictly ethical methods were producing new business, and her heart swelled with pride. She would give her eye tooth to be associated in business with such an idealistic executive.

"Tell me honestly, how are you getting along as a free lance?" Sandy brought the conversation around to the girl.

"It's been hard, but I think I have a foothold now," she told him, reluctant to admit details of the hard battle she was fighting to win in the face of unfair odds. She wouldn't cry to him about the trouble Acme had caused her; instead, she thought of each blow Sandy had landed as having been struck in her defense! "I think I'm really going to like it better, although it is physically tiring to contact so many employers. I'm afraid I must be lazy."

Sandy sensed some of the obstacles that must have been put in her way, but wisely refrained from extracting her secrets.

Suddenly she jumped up from her seat and went out into the main office. When she returned her hands were behind her back, and there was a teasing look in her clear eyes. "Guess what?" she dared him, "I've found a skeleton in your closet!" And she paraded up and down in front of him until he forced both hands before her. She held one of Paula's sketches, with its bold likeness of Sandy. Thinking he would immediately catch the resemblance, she said, "Well, what do you think of it?"

"One of the best things Paula's done. Why?"

"Because it's a picture of you. And all her other pictures are of you. The crazy kid has drawn you into every man she sketched; you seem suddenly to have become her ideal!" Marcia was telling as much of the truth as she dared, anxious to see what Sandy's reaction would be. As a matter of fact, Sandy was highly gratified to see that his experiment was getting some "outside" help he had not counted upon. Even Paula seemed to be joining the game to add flames to the fire of Marcia's growing jealousy. Good!

"I think you're exaggerating," he said, barely concealing a smile.

"The poor kid probably doesn't have any other model, and I'm always Johnny-on-the-spot. And, of course, I am a handsome cuss!" he swaggered mockingly in front of her, and Marcia was forced to smile. She was relieved to find that he did not seem deeply concerned about the hero worship of Paula—and, thought Marcia, it's just as well I brought it up jokingly, otherwise he might have misinterpreted it if he had discovered the flattering likenesses himself.

"Speaking of other people's business," he chided her, "I don't suppose you'd want me to interfere, but I think you should know Abe is spreading some pretty bad talk about you."

Marcia looked at him inquiringly.

"I wouldn't insult you by asking if it's true," he began, then stopped to consider. In the pleasure he'd felt at finding Marcia in his office, he had thrust some unpleasant details to the back of his mind. As he reviewed the conversation at Acme, they began to assail him with startling clarity. He was thinking particularly of the news item Walt had thrown at him in departing. Was there still something behind that trip which Marcia hadn't confided, something mysterious that had caused even Paula to mention the incident at the airport? He was too proud to ask her for further information, but the thing rankled in his mind. Why hadn't he brought the clipping to study it more carefully?

During the next few minutes Sandy seemed preoccupied, his mind focused on that tell-tale picture, hunting vainly for an explanation of the glaring headline and the informal pose.

Marcia herself felt only relief. Obviously, Abe hadn't accused him of being responsible for the theft of the Sheer-Sheen account, or Sandy would have told her. Therefore he would be spared the humiliation of thinking this story was being passed along the advertising grapevine. In her serene new confidence she discounted the possibility that either Abe or Hartley could poison Sandy's mind against her.

Sandy's next question jarred her out of her false security when he asked, "Marcia, tell me something truthfully. Just how well do you know this Hartley?"

Marcia flushed, and miserably Sandy watched the blood rush to her cheeks. "Just since he came to Acme," she said, "and I've hated him almost as long!" This last was a sincere ejaculation, straight from her heart.

"You hate him, yet you go with him to the races—oh, don't worry. I don't believe you stole his money!—then you fly to Mexico with him—what else?" Again Sandy was following his old tactics of building a case that seemed bitterly true. His ungovernable jealousy caused him to misjudge facts, to suffer unnecessarily. But if he had brought upon himself a flood of unhappiness, he likewise had pulled Marcia's house of cards down around her ears.

The past month's disillusionment had naturally weakened her resistance to any kind of opposition and, whereas she might once have laughed at Sandy's unreasoning jealousy, it burned deeply into her heart that day. Let him think what he would, she would never explain. And with the air of writing "finis" to another episode of her complicated romance, she walked deliberately and wordlessly out of the office.

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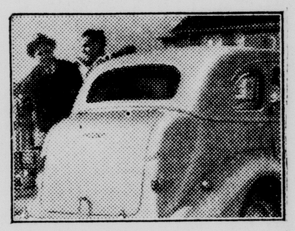

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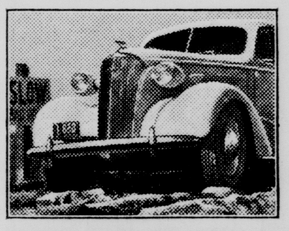

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CENTENNIAL OPENS AT TUSCUMBIA

TUSCUMBIA, Mo., Aug. 20.—(AP)—Tuscumbia, located on the Osage River, will play a leading part in Miller County's 3-Day Centennial observance which began today.

Parades, a historical pageant and religious observances have been planned for the anniversary celebration.

The county was created by an act of the Missouri General Assembly on Feb. 6, 1837. The city of Tuscumbia was laid out the same year, at what was said to have been an Indian camp site.

The first known white settler was William West, who located on Big Tavern creek in 1807. In 1870 there were 6440 whites and 176 Negroes in Miller County; in 1930, the population had grown to 16,728.

Miss Juanita Messersmith will be crowned Centennial Queen tonight by John Ferguson, 98-year-old Civil War veteran.

The Morning After Taking Carter's Little Liver Pills

NORMA NATHALIE MELTON WINS IN SECOND NIGHT OF BEAUTY PAGEANT

(Continued From Page One)

sociation of Princeton, wore a royal blue transparent velvet evening dress. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Melton, of Princeton, is 18 years old, and is a graduate of the Princeton high school.

As runner-up in the Princeton beauty pageant last year, Miss Melton was selected to represent that town this year.

The girls from one to ten were: First Miss Melton; second Miss Cubertson; third Frances Louise Smith, Excelsior Springs; fourth and fifth Norma Mayfield, Canton, Betty Faye Carter, Webb City; sixth to tenth Margaret Hammond; Skidmore; Charlene Wilkerson, Mt. Vernon; Rebecca Ann Blankley, Holden; Katherine Pearl Arend, Monette; Virginia Baker, Macon.

The other girls in the show were:

Sibyl Berry, Ava; Fernita Estes, Aurora; Gloria Shea, Anderson, Lynn Bonner, Concordia; Emma Sturgeon, Centralia; Mildred Brosch, Cole Camp; Ruby Mae Renner, Fulton; Reba Hamm, Golden City; Ruth Terrill, Huntsville; Helen Sullivan, Marionville; Kathleen Simpson, Norborne; Betty Belle Knight, Osceola; Helen M. Gooden, Odessa; Esther Twenter, Pilot Grove; Ruth Taylor, Purdy; Judith Ann Dale, Richmond; Georgia Mae Kerr, Smithville; Martha Seay, Salem; Helen L. Livezey, Unionville; Lora Ruth Hayes, Versailles; Mamie Hurlbut, Waverly; Jessie Marie Bihr, Washington; Luella Dearns, Franklin County.

During the show Miss Missouri 1936, Miss Margaret Ann Price of Lexington was introduced. Tonight her tiara will be worn by a new queen.

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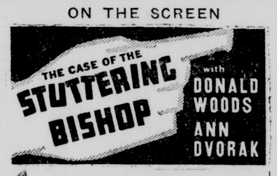

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Death fires the starting gun in "Charlie Chan at the Olympics," coming Sunday to the Liberty Theatre, with Warner Oland, as Chan, heading a cast which features Katherine De Mille, Allan Lane, Pauline Moore, C. Henry Gordon and Chan's "Number One" son, Keye Luke.

CHARLES LEE AND THE FAMOUS KANSAS CITY KIDDIES' REVIEW AT THE UPTOWN SUNDAY

Another hour of delightful entertainment is in store for those that see and hear the "Kansas City Kiddies' Revue" which will appear on the stage of the Uptown theatre for a matinee and two evening performances Sunday. Mr. Charles Lee promises one of the best units he has ever brought to Sedalia with a line of dancing boys instead of the usual girl dancing unit. This is the eighth time that this popular entertainment feature has appeared at the theatre, and each time Mr. Lee has brought a different novelty for the unit, so that everyone that sees them wants to see them again.

One of the new novelty numbers will be the "stair-step" dance done by a charming little miss named Elsie Blevins. Others just as interesting will be the adagio work of pretty little Maudell Hagan and Homer Burdette and the Russian tap dance by Art Williams.

Many musical numbers will be mixed in between the song, dance and comedy sketches and a piano solo in the modern manner will be played by a newcomer named Jack Krosen which we know will delight those interested in this type of music. Also another new boy violinist, Leland Stickle, should set all feet to tapping as he plays his sizzling new violin solo, "Fiddlin' The Fiddle."

Many other acts just as interesting as those mentioned are listed in the fast moving program. It seems the Kansas City Kiddies and their director, Charles Lee, are determined to outdo even their own past efforts and give the Sedalia Fair visitors a real treat for their money.

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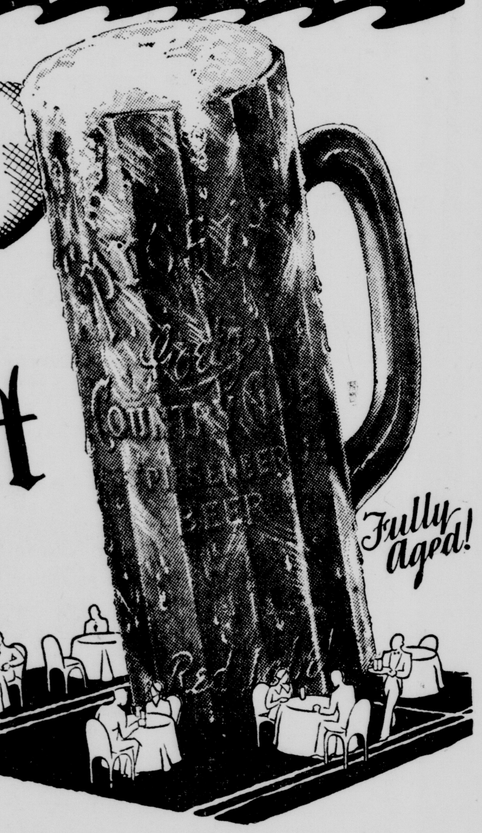

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Dancing was enjoyed during the evening to music furnished by Don Sisson's ochestra, after which refreshments were served.

Assisting Mr. Thomson in receiving were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keyser.

Dr. Myron Pyle and Miss Dorothy Ellen Roper, both of Kansas City, were married at 9 o'clock Thursday night at the parsonage of the First Methodist church by the pastor, the Rev. Quincy R. Wright.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Cline Bilyew and James Laidlaw of Kansas City, Kas., the best man. Others present were Mrs. Marian Hauser, Mrs. Katherine Pyle, Miss Katherine Pyle, Harold Collins and Ray Outlaw.

Dr. and Mrs. Pyle will spend their honeymoon in Port Isabel, Texas.

Miss Mary N. Miller of Spring Fork and Emory Emmett Elliott, Green Ridge, were married at 9 o'clock Wednesday night by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor of the First Christian church, at his home, 908 South Ohio avenue. Attending the couple were Miss Grace Aurelia Maltsbarger and Frank Miller, a brother of the bride.

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Cordelia Burnett, 334 North Randolph street, Thursday afternoon. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts and well wishes. Refreshments were served to the following guests:

Mrs. Clara Perry and grandson Bobbie Henderson, Mrs. Myrtle Carver and son Charles, Mrs. Grace Bryan and son Forrest, Mrs. Sallie White, Mrs. Irene White, Mrs. May Smith, Mrs. Mort Reid, Mrs. Pauline Burnett and daughters Frances and Ruth Ellen, Mrs. Frances and Ruth Ellen, Mrs. Frances Smith, Mrs. J. R. Johnson, Mrs. Rose Rayburn and daughter Mary, and granddaughter Betty Bradley, Mrs. Laura Young and daughter Lois, Mrs. Edith Burnett, Miss Eva Mae Elkins, Raymond Richey, Miss Shirley McKelvey, Mrs. Arthur Burnett and daughters Cordelia and Edith; Mrs. F. E. Burnett and children Zella, Robert, Ralph, Verna Lee, William and James Paul Burnett of Texarkana, Texas; Miss Sylvia Todd, Clifton City; and Mrs. Robert Shoemaker of Osage, Okla.

Miss Sue Staples, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Staples, 1803 South Osage avenue and Joe Emo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Emo, 3200 South Grand avenue, were married at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor of the First Christian church, at his home, 908 South Ohio avenue.

Attending the couple were the bride's brother, Edward Staples and wife.

The bride wore a golden brown dress with dark brown accessories and her attendant was in white.

After the ceremony the bridal party went to the Staples home where they were joined by the groom's sisters, Miss Margaret and Miss Anna Emo, also Miss Virginia Blatterman and Miss Louise Younger, and refreshments were served.

Both the bride and groom were born and reared in Sedalia. Mrs. Emo graduated from Smith-Cotton high school in 1931. The groom is employed at the Nafziger Baking Company.

After September 1 they will be at home at 109 West Seventh street.

Miss Alma Lewis, of 2218 East Broadway, entertained a group of young folks at her home Wednesday night.

The evening was spent in various ways, novelty awards going to Andy Botts, "Bud" Martin, Walter Martin, Virginia Marlin, Ernestine Rodgers, Nellie Meyers, and Donald Shelby.

The following guests were present: Ruth Biery, Ethel Boatcher, Norman Boatcher, Andy Botts, Luda Farley, Harold Garrett, Leonard Greer, Helen Henley, Morris Herbst, Bernice Hinken, Ruby Hinken, Harold Holman, J. W. Ison, Eugene Janzen, La Vern Marlin, Virginia Marlin, "Bud" Martin, Walter Martin, Marion Meyer, Nellie Meyer, Richard Messerli, Elsie Mincoff, Ernestine Rodgers, Viola Rodgers, Donald Shelbey, Hoadley Smith, Wayne Vanderlinden, Wilbur Vanderlinden, Dora Lee Williams, Doris Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Toy Pease, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and family.

Alma was assisted by her mother and Mrs. Pease.

Mrs. Joe Smith was honored with a birthday party at her home, 507 South New York avenue on Wednesday afternoon. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by the following guests:

Mrs. Joe Smith and daughter Joan, Mrs. Fay Richie and son Ellis Fay, Miss Doris Collins, Mrs. Ray Pummil and children, Walter and Doris Jean, Mrs. Myrtle Carver and son Chuckie Boy.

Mrs. George Beeler, Mrs. Jack Spry, Mrs. Charlie Wilson, Mrs. Minnie Burnett and children Verna Lee, William, James Paul and Zella of Texarkana, Texas; Mrs. Bell Loucks and daughter Norene, Mrs. Lavina Coppersmith, Mrs. Bertha Baker, Mrs. Delphia Summerskill and daughter Marjorie, Mrs. F. J. Kreisel and son, Mr. Arthur Adams, Mr. Raymond Richie, Buster Cramer, Bud Wench, Robert Shoemaker of Osage, Okla., Mr. Joe Smith.

Mrs. Roy Perry and grandson Bobbie Henderson.

Those sending gifts but were unable to attend were Mrs. Edith Burnett, Mrs. W. D. Cramer, Mrs. George Cramer and Miss Josephine Collins.

Mrs. Smith received a number of pretty and useful gifts.

All departed wishing her many more happy birthdays.

DEADLOCKED ON PLANT PRCHASE

COLUMBIA, Mo., Aug. 20.—The city council remained deadlocked today over purchase of municipal water and light plant equipment, with four members technically in session and police seeking three aldermen absent from the last eight meetings.

Writs were issued for Aldermen G. B. Sapp, W. H. Guitar and M. L. Lipscomb when they failed to appear at a special session, called Wednesday. Police could not find them. The four stay-in aldermen proposed to remain in session until the others return to provide a quorum.

YOUTHS "PICKED UP" HERE RETURNED TO HOMES

Two thirteen year old youths of Holden, Mo., Ed Qugin and Homer Taylor, who decided to take a trip to Sedalia, were returned home late Thursday evening by Qugin's father, after they had been taken in custody by Officer William Couhig as they alighted from a Missouri Pacific passenger train that afternoon.

The two boys had purchased tickets at Holden and when their parents had been told they took a train east, they immediately notified the local police to be on the lookout for them.

Cole Camp Items

By Mrs. Mayme Meyer

Jim Calfee who had been a patient in the Bothwell hospital in Sedalia for some time died Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moellman of Versailles, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nuideman and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Moellman visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hy Viebrook and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Viebrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bown of Kansas City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wenig Sunday. Mrs. Bown is a niece of Mrs. Wenig.

Mrs. Clara Bohon and daughter and Miss Lillie Gerken of Kansas City are visiting in the home of their father Louis Gerken.

Wm. Hampy of Ionia is spending this week with E. A. Wright Jr.

Dr. and Mrs. P. F. Eckhoff and daughter of Versailles spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eckhoff and son Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Eickholtz visited with Cole Camp relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Fajen, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Meyer daughter Carrie Lou, spent Sunday at Lake View Heights.

Mrs. Dona Parks is on the sick list.

W. J. Kreisel is visiting in Davenport, Iowa with his son Elmer.

Mrs. Jack Alms and daughter Helen visited in St. Louis the past week with relatives.

Robert Lichty, Miss Mayme Shelton, Leo, and Clarence Schuman of Kansas City, spent week end in the home of Mrs. Pauline Schuman. Mrs. Lichty who spent the past week with Cole Camp relatives accompanied to Kansas City.

Wm. Mitchel and Glen Keele of Sedalia visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Ollie Todd.

Miss Viola Fajen of Clay Center, Kansas is visiting with home folks and also other relatives and friends.

Ted Mabry of Marshall visited week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mabry.

Mrs. Harold Junge and daughter returned home Sunday from a visit in Marshfield, Mo., with her parents.

Lola, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Heisterberg underwent an operation in Bothwell hospital in Sedalia Monday afternoon.

C. L. Hutton of Warsaw, Mr. and Msr. Hy Schuman attended the funeral of John B. Hutton at Golden City Mo. last Wednesday.

Miss Harlene Holferty left for her home in Kansas City Thursday she was accompanied by her sister Donna Jean.

Miss Pearl Boeschen of near Sedalia spent week end in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burnett also her grand mother Mrs. Sophia Boeschen.

Misses Dora and Bertha Dueber of Kansas City visited with their mother Mrs. Anna Dueber this week.

Miss Anna Stohr visited in Kansas City and also in Dodge City Kansas this week with relatives.

Mr. and Ms. Jake Stohr left Thursday for the state of Ohio, to visit with some of their children.

Mrs. Earl Hilton son and daughter of Kansas City spent week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fajen.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Krank of Okla., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. ajen. Mrs. Krank and Mrs. Fajen are sisters.

Mrs. Dora Coffey, daughter Nell of Springfork visited one day the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sullivan.

Ehlers Reunion

A reunion was held Sunday August 15th in the park in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Claus Ehlers and Mr. and Ms. Alvin Ehlers and family of Junction City, Kansas. Besides the Ehlers from Kansas present were, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ehlers and son of Kansas City, Mrs. J. A. Ehlers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ehlers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Haase, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ehlers and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ehlers and family Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borchers and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer of Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meyer and family of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Drake, Mrs. G. D. Luetjen son Oda, daughter Mrs. Maggie Junge, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haase of Warrensburg, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Luetjen and family, Ed. Luetjen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Luetjen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fed Luetjen, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs: Frank Hagedorn and son of Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ficken and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miesner, Mr. and Mrs. John Ehlers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ehlers of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Harms and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brockschmidt and family, Herbert Riemenschnitter of Warsaw, Mrs. Katie Riemenschnitter, Mrs. Minnie Eding Cletus Pritzel, Claus Ehlers of Junction City Kansas and Mrs. G. D. Luetjen of Mt. Hulda are the only sister and brother left of the Ehlers family.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Park of Cortland, New York who visited here last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ahrens the following spent Sunday in the Ahrens home, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Schwald, Mrs. Vivian Woodward, daughter Nina, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Green daughter Sara Kathryn, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Kennedy daughter Lulu Kathryn all of Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. John Luebber, Robert Fowler, Mrs. Fannie Selover and daughter Sue, Albert S. Ralph Schwald, Mrs. Park, E. J. Schwald, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Ahrens, Albert and Ralph Schwad are sisters and brothers.

Out of town people attended the funeral of Mrs. Bertie Jane Wilkinson(mother of Mrs. Ben Bryant) Saturday were Mrs. L. Wans, Mrs. Florence Ball, Roy Gren, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jenkins of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henderson, Mrs. Laura Newman of Lincoln, Mrs. Pilgrim, Clinton, Miss Daisy Downing of Calhun.

Leo E. Brauer spent week end at Deepwater, Mo.

Mrs. Clark Giles and son of Peoria, Ill., Martha Jane Rhodes of Kansas City are visiting in the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwensen and other relatives this week.

Mrs. Josephine Mabry is on the sick list.

Lamine Items

Mr. and Mrs. William Wisdom of Kansas City visited Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ashcraft and family last week. They spent last Thursday at the Bagnell dam.

Miss Ruby Ross of Portland, Ind., arrived a few days ago to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeak Ross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Deuschle and family were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ashcraft and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Retherford were guests of the Rev. Frank D. Cook and family Sunday.

Charles and Mary Bidstrup spent the week end visiting their brother, P. L. Bidstrup and wife of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McMullin of Sedalia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McMullin and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Scott were guests of her mother, Mrs. T. J. Spires of Sedalia, Sunday.

Gets Seat of Senator Black.

Mrs. Bibb Graves

Mrs. Bibb Graves, Dixie to her friends, has been named to the senate seat, vacated by Senator Hugo L. Black, appointed to the U. S. supreme court. Mrs. Graves, the wife of the governor of Alabama, is an excellent public speaker and an astute political observer. She flew to Washington with her husband. —Central Press

Knob Noster Items

The Wampler reunion was held at Shepherd Park, Warrensburg Sunday with about 160 present. The following from Knob Noster attended: Mrs. Ada House, daughter Virginia, son Glyndon, Richard Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wampler, Mrs. James Knight and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Yost, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane, sons Byron and Spencer, Mrs. Mary McKeever, son John, John E. House, Mrs. Elmer Wampler and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wampler, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson and sons, Mrs. Will Kimzey, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ranger, Earl Coupland and children, Miss Vinie Shoup, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wampler, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Knaus, daughter Helen, Mrs. W. L. Honey, E. C. Parrott, Herman Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sappington and granddaughter, Dorothy Louise, Mrs. S. L. Doggett, Miss Olivia Honey, John Knaus, Miss Leota May Curnutt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adcock and daughter, Geo. M. Gillum, Mrs. Eva Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lazenby.

Mrs. Laura Roadruck and sister, Miss Florence Beatty returned Wednesday from a Texas Centennial trip.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Grove, daughters Mary Alice, Eleanor and Ann returned Saturday from a few days' trip to Greencastle, Ind.

The birthdays of Mrs. John O. Beatty, her mother, Mrs. E. A. Shepherd and her brother, Lewis Shepherd of Kansas City were celebrated at the Beatty home Sunday with a dinner. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shepherd, Richard Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shepherd, daughter Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rardin and Lyle Withers, all of Kansas City, Mrs. Mary Beatty, Mrs. E. A. Shepherd, son Frank, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Adcock, daughter Maybelle and Mrs. A. Grey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sibert and Miss Rena Lay returned Sunday from a two weeks' trip in the northern states.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Richeson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sappington, daughter Dorothy Louise enjoyed a picnic Wednesday evening at Montserrat Recreation Park.

Mrs. Jen Carpenter, son Billy Dee, and Harry McIntosh of Warrensburg, Mrs. Clay Moreland of Kansas City and Dorothy Mae Millikan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Carr.

Mrs. P. G. Utley was hostess to the bridge club Wednesday at her home with Mrs. Henry N. Gillum, Mrs. Charles Saults, Mrs. Wolfrum as guests. Mrs. Ernest Jones held high score for the afternoon. Tempting refreshments were served by the hostess.

Wimer Thompson of Washington, D. C., arrived Sunday to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson, east of town.

Held For Questioning

Leon Benedict, Lloyd Reed and Mort Reed, picked up by Officers Harry Anderson and Raymond Streeter in East Sedalia for investigation are being held in the city jail pending questioning by Chief of Police John J. O'Brien.

Released on Getting License

Tom Shuman arested by Officer Raymond Fetters on a charge of peddling on the streets without a city license, was released this morning after he appeared before Judge Charles W. Bente and obtained his license from the city collector.

BENNETT CLARK OBJECTS TO SIX TOED INDIAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Senator Clark, (D. Mo.) protested Thursday against the United States purchasing any more oil paintings of six-toed Indians.

He voted to authorize the purchase of a $35,000 canvas depicting the signing of the constitution, to be hung in a Capitol corridor, but warned his colleagues:

"We better exercise more discrimination than congress has used in purchasing some pictures in the past. I notice that one painting in the Capitol is so carelessly done that it shows an Indian with six toes."

The picture he referred to was purchased more than 50 years ago.

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Imported Olive Oil .... Pint 59c
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KENTUCKY CLUB TOBACCO Lb. .. 89c
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CIGARETTES Camels, Chesterfields, Old Gold, Luckies, Raleigh 2 Pkgs. 25c Carton $1.20
Wings, Paul Jones, Marvels, Twenty Grand, Carton 89c
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100 PURE ASPIRIN TABLETS 18c
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JUNKET and JELL-O ICE CREAM POWDERS 2 for 25c
LIBBY'S APPLE BUTTER, qt. 23c
No. 2 can Whole Grain Corn 10c
No. 2 can Peas 10c
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No. 2 can Tomatoes..3 for 25c

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Summer Squash.....4 for 10c
Fancy Peaches.....5 lbs. 25c
5c Candy Bars.....3 for 10c
Cocoa Cola.....6 for 25c
Fancy Fresh Cookies, lb. 17c

Chickens, Fryers 69c
Plate Boiling Meat, lb.....15c
Bacon Squares, lb. 26c
FRESH MEAT LOAF 2 lbs. 35c
PICNIC HAMS, lb. 26c

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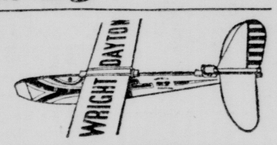

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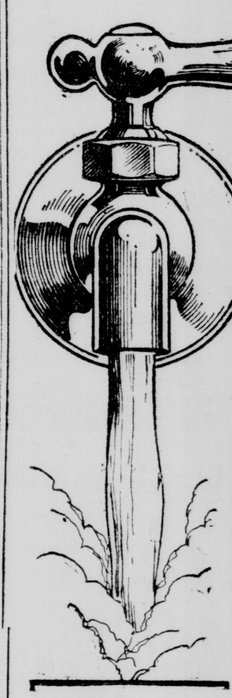

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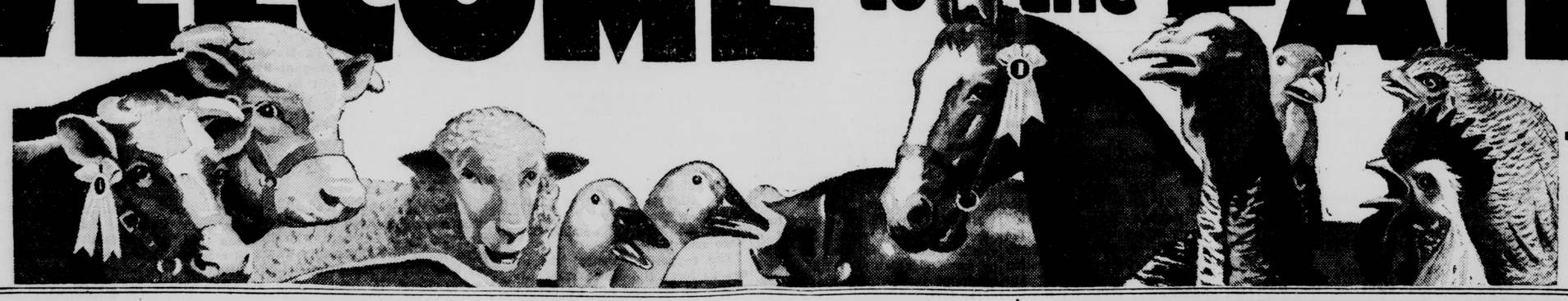

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Chevrolet Exhibit at the Fair One of the Most Elaborate On The Grounds

Motor Minded Public To Find Display Under Grandstand Educational In Progress By Producing Better Cars Than Ever Before.

Visitors to the Missouri State Fair will find that the Chevrolet Motor Company has provided one of the largest and most elaborate exhibits on the fair grounds in Sedalia. Not only does it provide entertainment but affords a purely educational inspection of every model and type of truck produced by the Chevrolet Motor Company.

The Chevrolet exhibit occupies a major portion of the large display area beneath the main grandstand which seats 9,000 persons. Fair visitors to the exhibit will receive the personal attention of many of the Chevrolet Motor Company officials who will be in Sedalia during State Fair week. F. D. Kelly, district manager, R. L. Smith, division truck manager, Charles Martin, division passenger car manager, F. X. Miller, assistant zone manager and William Ogan, accessories manager are already in Sedalia assisting in final preparations for the opening Saturday. Many others are expected to arrive the first of the week.

Automobile's Influence

The importance of an exhibit such as the Chevrolet Motor Company presents because of the automobile's influence in community life, is interestingly stated by Felix Doran, Jr., assistant general sales manager of the western half, in a recent interview.

"Every year, at the automobile shows," Mr. Doran says, "the motor-minded public eagerly studies the latest models and notes the progress made since the previous motor show. Each year people wonder whether anything remains to be done in the future to bring about further improvements—yet later they find that the new cars are again better than ever, that more progress has been made.

"We in the industry expect that progress as a matter of course, for progress is bound to come in any industry whose product is based on engineering research and design, since it is the sole purpose of the true engineer to achieve improvement.

"During my own association with the industry, I have watched this constant development going on for many years. Yet, wonderful as has been the progress of the automobile as a product, still more wonderful is the effect of the automobile on the progress of the nation. The wonder of the motor car is not in the car itself, but in what it has done to improve the living habits of each community and of the whole group of communities that make up the United States. The automobile has had this effect because, in this country, it is the chief contributor to one of four factors essential to human existence; that is, food, clothing, shelter and communication.

"It is the free communication among individuals of the community that has improved our conditions, because it has extended community life and interests to cover virtually every home of our land. Today there are few Americans isolated from frequent contact with other Americans—with the result that insular customs and opinions have all but disappeared from the national make-up. Instead, we have seen the liberal point of view spread over the land because of the automobile. It is the automobile that puts the individual in personal contact with others of his community, and permits the interchange of opinion and the spread of personal influence that engender community spirit, and broaden the life and mind of the individual.

"We have not nearly reached the end of the influence of the automobile. Even if, some day, there should be a car to each family, the development will go on. Already the "two-or-more-car family" in indicative of the future, as are those families in which not only each adult has a car, but also the boy and girl of school age who are enabled to save many precious minutes and hours of their learning time and leisure by means of their cars.

"Of the 37,236,000 motor vehicles in use in the world, the United States has 26,221,000, or one for each 4.55 persons. The world population per vehicle is 54.5. That is an index of progress in the United States and of the condition of our people as compared with the world in general. Rank the world's countries according to the ratio of cars to population, and you have a ranking of those countries according to their average standards of living.

"In Europe, there are 20 persons per car in France, 23 in the United Kingdom, 51 in Belgium, 59 in Germany, 108 in Italy, 148 in Spain, 185 in Austria and 675 in Soviet Russia.

"Truly the automobile is playing a most important part in the development of American community life."

BANKS TO CLOSE

During Fair Week the banks of Sedalia will close at noon on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

SEDALIA CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION. (Adv.)

ON PARADE AT THE STATE FAIR GROUNDS

Above is pictured the trunk compartment of a New Master Deluxe Chevrolet, which is today an important essential for motorists for many occasions such as business, vacation or short traveling trips. See the large exhibit of Chevrolets beneath the grandstand at The State Fair.

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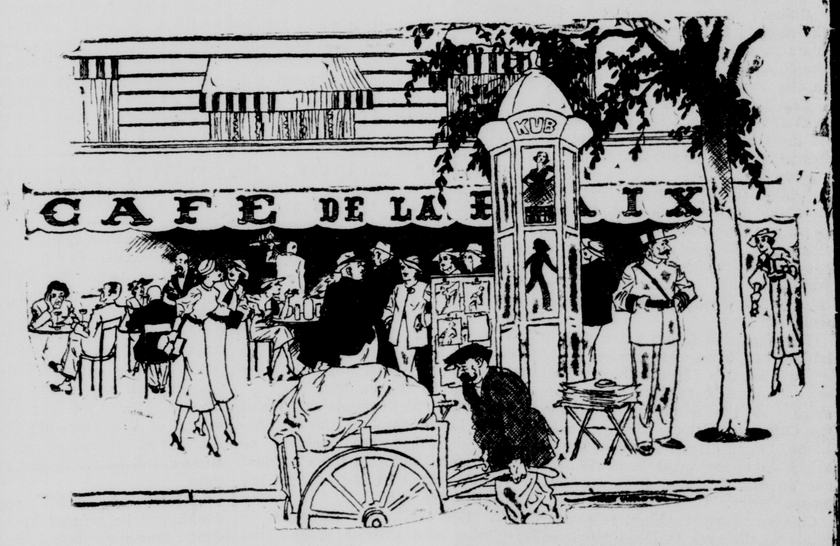

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U. S. Sailor Killed And 18 Hurt— Shell Hits Cruiser

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the Shanghai international was rocked as if in an earthquake by the savage artillery duel over the Whangpoo. Chinese batteries well to the south of the settlement were exchanging shells with Japanese warships on the river and projectiles screamed over the foreign-held parts of the city.

The fires which raged into the night over a fourth of the city's area had mostly been started in late afternoon when Chinese airbombers and artillery struck savagely at Japanese properities on both sides of Whangpoo river.

Fourth American Killed

The sailor casualty was the fourth American to be killed in the eight days of war in Shanghai. Three United States citizens died last Saturday when misplaced Chinese air bombs wrecked buildings in the international area and killed more than a thousand persons.

American property suffered heavily as the battle for Shanghai, in its second week, became increasingly destructive of life and wealth.

At nightfall fires seemed to ring the whole horizon.

Shells Fall Closer

The war came closer to Americans in Shanghai as Japanese shells fell on the border of the French concession—where most American residents have their homes—and Chinese shells plunged into the Whangpoo near the cruiser Augusta.

At dark, a Japanese cruiser, with all her lights out, anchored close behind the Augusta, apparently preparing to bombard Chinese shore positions in Pootung during the darkness.

A Japanese warship, similarly darkened, fired from a position close to the Augusta Wednesday night.

Bombardments from air and land became more savage late in the afternoon.

Shells from Japanese naval guns landed in the French boundary of Shanghai. Casualties were not known immediately.

The projectiles whizzed close to the Associated Press office. Lives of Americans and other foreigners were endangered by the bombardment.

Three Chinese planes roared over Pootung, across the Whangpoo from the French concessions, and dropped eight bombs on Japanese-owned wharves, warehouses and cotton mills, which burst into flames.

Japanese pursuit ships raced toward the lumbering bombers. One of the Chinese planes caught fire from machine-gun bullets and crashed to the ground.

In the midst of the air bombardment Chinese shells from a concealed rooftop position in the Chinese city, adjoining the French concession, crashed into Japanese-held sectors of the Whangpoo river shores.

The detonations shook the entire city.

Chinese forces, attempting to drive the Japanese into the Whangpoo river, apparently held the Japanese along the river's banks in northeastern Shanghai. Chinese artillery repulsed a Japanese effort to land a flanking detachment at Liuho, 12 miles northwest of Shanghai.

While a curtain of flying shrapnel blanketed the Whangpoo river, United States warships were pressed into service to help evacuate 1,000 American refugees.

Mobs Increase Menace

Chinese mobs grew increasingly threatening in Shanghai. French soldiers mounted machine guns about the Japanese ambassador's residence in the French concession.

Fearing Chinese might attempt to rush the building, the French ordered the steel gates barred and placed armed guards on every corner in the vicinity.

While their advance battalions held the Japanese along the banks of the Whangpoo in northeastern Shanghai, Chinese shore batteries repulsed a Japanese effort to land reinforcements at Liuho, 12 miles to the northwest, for an attack from the rear.

The Japanese forces attempted to land from transports under cover of a warship bombardment but were compelled to return to their ships by the withering fire from the Chinese positions. Changsu, near Liuho, was also subjected to a heavy Japanese naval bombardment but no attempt was made to land troops there.

Chinese were rushing reinforcements to the area in large numbers

Because of the heavy fighting between shore batteries and Japanese warship in the Whangpoo, the Japanese navy undertook yesterday to close the Pootung side of the river to navigation and subject navigation on the Hongkew side to restrictions.

Precarious Trip To Safehy

United States Consul General Clarence E. Gauss replied the United States could not permit such a move and today 1,100 Americans made a precarious voyage to safety on the fire-swipt river.

The American refugees began swarming down the bund to the custom's jetty, crowding aboard the Dollar Line tender and the two destroyers.

Women and children struggled with their own loads of baggage under a sweltering sun which made the waterfront blazingly hot even at 8 a. m. A thick haze overhung the river.

Naval motor launches carried other hundreds out to the destroyers Edsall and Parrott, of the fourteenth division of the Asiatic fleet, lying in midstream under the protecting guns of the American flagship, the cruiser Augusta.

As the Dollar Line tender, bearing 400 refugees, proceeded slowly down stream, the Stars and Stripes fluttered out fore and aft and amidships from the majestic Augusta, easily the finest warcraft in the harbor. Suddenly a squadron of Chinese bombers—swift, American-made machines—appeared over the tender. Japanese warships nearby unloosed a savage barrage of anti-aircraft fire that made the river hideous with flying shrapnel.

A small guard of tin-hatted American marines smiled nonchalantly. The American women and children on the tender displayed remarkable calmness and courage under fire.

At the first burst of shelling the commanding officer ordered full speed ahead.

As Uncle Sam's refugee fleet disappeared into the haze it passed an unending line of Japanese cruisers and destroyers stripped for action.

After an hour's voyage of terror the peaceful sight of the liner President Hoover loomed up off the celebrated Woosung forts—China's Bunker Hill—ready to take them to safety.

A great sigh of relief went up as the Hoover weighed anchor for Manila and headed down the Yangtze, leaving war behind.

Bombs Rock Embassy.

NANKING, Aug. 20.—(AP)—The United States embassy was rocked by nearby bomb explosions and residences of Americans were struck by shrapnel today when fourteen Japanese bombing planes made a twilight raid on the capital of China.

A checkup, however, showed that all Americans escaped injury and that the embassy property was not damaged.

More than ten Chinese civilians were reported killed when the hospital of the Central University of Nanking was set afire by bombs.

Shelling Up To U. S. Officers At Shanghai, China

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Dispatches from Shanghai said the source of the shell was unknown.

When the President was asked what he intended to do about the incident, he observed that officials in Shanghai could tell more about it than those in Washington. He declared, however, that such things were almost bound to happen under conditions such as those at Shanghai.

Secretary Hull, at his press conference, termed the shelling of the Augusta "an unfortunate incident."

He said the United States was reiterating its position that its nationals in Shanghai must be protected while they remain there but that they were being urged to evacuate the city to the "fullest possible extent."

About 800 Americans, chiefly women and children, were reported by the state department to have prepared to sail from Shanghai on the Dollar Liner, President Hoover. Hull said 200 others had cancelled their passage, apparently because they felt at the time that the Shanghai situation was quieting down.

While the government went about removing its citizens from that wartorn city today, steps were taken here to prevent any more from going into China for the time being. Persons applying for passports learned that the situation there is considered too serious for the government to authorize travel into the country except in extraordinary cases.

Legislators who only a few months ago were debating the neutrality bill watched eastern developments with intense interest. Current congressional action was limited to insertion in the third deficiency appropriation bill of a $500,000 fund for evacuation from China.

Chairman Pittman (D-Nev) of the senate foreign relations committee said the Augusta incident was "no reason" for altering American policy.

"We have to have warships there to guard the evacuation of our nationals," he said. "They have to take risks, just as does a policeman, that's what we have a navy for." He asserted the incident had no bearing on application of the neutrality act to the conflict.

Chairman McReynolds (D-Tenn) of the house foreign affairs committee described the incident as "unfortunate" but said the President was right in not having invoked the neutrality act yet.

Mr. Roosevelt, in response to questions, said official Washington was talking about the advisability of invoking the neutrality act every day.

Informed that the Japanese charge had left Tientsin the President expressed doubt as to whether that meant diplomatic relations had formally been broken off.

Also informed about a statement by the council for prevention of war favoring immediate proclamation of neutrality, the President said, without derogation to that organization, that government officials had more information than it had.

FORMER TRACK AND FIELD ATHLETE ENDS LIFE

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Joseph P. Lydon, formerly outstanding track and field athlete and a member of the United States Olympic team in 1904, was found dead at his home here late yesterday, a bullet wound in his abdomen and a gun in his right hand. He was 59 years old. Physicians said Lydon had suffered from a stomach ailment for several years.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. G. R. Winters, of 1700 South Moniteau avenue, was admitted for medical treatment.

C. E. Potts, 620 East Broadway, was admitted for medical treatment.

Annual State Fair Will Open Here Saturday

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need never happen. Types of such accidents will be spectacularly demonstrated by members of the far-famed Suicide Club as a part of the great Thrill Day program of the Sedalia State Fair on Saturday.

The demonstration of avoidable accidents has been aranged as a part of the first public education move of the state highway commission, through its newly-created department of safety, to make the driving public accident conscious and to bring about a realization that death lurks over every hill and around every curve for the unwary and the careless.

The Suicide Club, composed of stunt artists who double for movie stars in dangerous events, was assembled by Frank R. Winkley, who on more than one occasion has succeeded in getting at least one foot within the Pearly Gates and who again will risk life and limb showing the assembled thousands the force and character of collisions resulting from jumping a red light, pulling out of a parking place without looking, weaving in and out of traffic, turning to the right from center aisle and to the left from right aisle without signaling. A dozen members of the state highway patrol will demonstrate how proper driving and vigilance would have prevented such type of accident, as Mr. Brown points out the causes of each and just what each driver should do in correction of such evils. Figures indicative of the mounting toll of life and injury due to moments, even seconds, of forgetfulness, will be presented by Mr. Brown.

As a part of this striking move to further educate the public and to warn against danger spots, the safety bureau has erected hundreds of signs along the way of motorists attending the fair, on both major highways entering and leaving Sedalia; Nos. 50 and 65, as well as along a two-mile strip of No. 50 just west of the Jefferson City Country Club. These signs, effectively phrased in simple words should cause every motorist who takes his job at the wheel seriously to do a lot of thinking and to exercise greater precaution in the heavy traffic of the moment and thereafter.

RAIN FALLS IN THE MID-WEST

By The Associated Press

Three distinct heat waves drifted slowly across the United States from west to east today, separated by virtual walls of rainfall which farmers valued at millions of dollars.

Combined with the heat, in most of the areas affected, were high degrees of humidity which carried suffering to sweltering residents.

Rain swept across Nebraska, Kansas, western Missouri and Iowa, dropping temperatures far below 90's recorded yesterday; while the heavy rains were generally beneficial, floods followed in such points as Kingman, Kas., were seven inches fell. Texas was much cooler after scattered showers.

Rain in the northern Rockies separated the rest of the West from high temperatures on the northern seaboard of the Pacific; while temperatures as low as 60 were recorded in middle and southern California, heat registering as high as 106 yesterday was moving up the western slopes of the Rockies toward Utah.

SEND OUT DRIVERS LICENSE BLANKS

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 20.—Application blanks for state drivers licenses, authorized under a law becoming effective September 6, were being distributed today by employes of V. H. Stewad, state motor vehicle commissioner.

Eight men are in the field, leaving the blanks at the 55 branch offices of the secretary of state's office, and at motor car dealers, garages and banks in the rural sections.

A total of 500,000 application blanks will be printed by tomorrow night, Steward's office said. The remainder of the approximately 1,300,00 forms needed will be ready for distribution by the end of next week.

Steward recently said it would be impossible to begin enforcement of the new law the date the act becomes effective, because of the preparation problems involved. The department, however, expects applications for the permits to be made as rapidly as possible.

The licenses will cost motorists 25 cents each, and will be effective for a 2-year period.

WOMAN KILLED BY ESTRANGED "HUBBY"

By The Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Pauline McBride, about 23, North Little Rock, was found fatally shot in an automobile on a road near Marche, Pulaski County, early today and her husband Chester McBride, 35, nearly critically wounded.

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Mrs. Dixie Graves To Let Governor Shift For Self

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D. McQueen, state Democratic chairman.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.— (AP) — Governor Bibb Graves of Alabama appointed his wife, Dixie Bibb Graves, Thursday to succeed Hugo L. Black as senator from Alabama.

The governor announced Mrs. Graves' appointment immediately after Black tendered his resignation from the senate.

Mrs. Graves will serve only temporarily. The governor called a special election for next April 26 to name a senator to fill Black's unexpired term, which ends in January, 1939.

He said Mrs. Graves would not be a candidate, and that the Alabama constitution barred him from the race.

The state Democratic committee, he said, will call a special primary some time after February 1 to nominate a candidate for the April 26 election.

Graves said that immediately after the primary he would appoint the Democratic nominee to the senate to succeed Mrs. Graves.

Senator John H. Bankhead, who became Alabama's senior senator with Black's resignation, said he would present Mrs. Graves' credentials to the senate tomorrow and ask that she be sworn in immediately.

The governor explained in a formal statement he wished to guard against giving any candidate the advantage of being the incumbent in next year's primary.

"In my judgment," the statement concluded, "Dixie Bibb Graves is in all respects best fitted to serve in this ad interim appointment and to carry out the policies above mentioned."

Mrs. Graves, 55 years old, is known in Alabama as an effective campaigner for her husband, although she has never been a candidate. She will be the fourth woman to serve in the senate, all of them from the south. Mrs. Hattie Caraway of Arkansas is the only one now serving.

The governor's choice of an election date opens the way for Alabama congressmen to seek the senate vacancy without resigning from the house. Five were considered likely candidates—Lister Hill, Frank W. Boykin, Henry B. Steagall, Joe Starnes and Sam Hobbs.

Nomination by the Democratic party in Alabama is tantamount to election.

The governor arrived here last night with Mrs. Graves to clear the way for her appointment.

Senators said efforts were made today by some persons to dissuade him from naming his wife. It was generally understood, however, the appointee would be sworn in without any strenuous objection in the senate.

The governor emphasized that a primary called this year would be unfair because approximately 100,000 voters had failed to pay their poll tax. This is an "off year" for elections.

All that remained to make Black a justice was to take the constitutional oath—and this he said he would do tomorrow. He did not say where, or before whom. An ordinary notary can administer the oath.

SLIGHT DAMAGE WHEN CAN OF GASOLINE CAUGHT FIRE

Slight damage resulted to the Pontiac sedan of L. A. Greenhill which was being repaired in the Don Clifford garage at 224 South Osage avenue this afternoon, when a small can of gasoline caught fire. The fire started when sparks from electric wiring went into the can next to the car.

Both fire companies answered the alarm at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon.

Cars Were in Collision

An Oldsmobile coach driven by B. B. Bettis, going south on Kentucky avenue, and a Chevrolet pickup truck driven by W. W. Howe, going east on Broadway, collided at Broadway and Kentucky avenue about 12:30 o'clock this afternoon. Slight damage resulted to both vehicles.

DEATH OF BOY IS ATTRIBUTED TO FRIGHT

FARMINGTON, Mo., Aug. 20.—(AP)—Dr. C. C. Winter today held fright responsible for the death of Robert Millins, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Millins. The boy died yesterday as he was being given an aesthetic for a minor operation in te doctor's office. Dr. Winter said the boy suffered a heart attack.

WARSAW MAYOR TAKES A POSITION IN AUDITOR'S OFFICE

Herbert Reimerschnitter, mayor of Warsaw, who has been associated with the Community bank there since it was organized, has resigned and accepted a position in the office of the state auditor.

The family will move to Jefferson City to reside.

Held For Manslaughter

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 20.—(AP)—Jesse L. Carter of Dekalb, was held in jail here today in default of $4,000 bond on a charge of manslaughter in the death of Robert Lee Pierce, 69, also of Dekalb, in street fight there Wednesday night.

Recover Body From River.

BOONVILLE, Mo., Aug. 20.—(AP) The body of a man found in the Missouri river near Lamine, six miles above here, was identified last night as that of W. B. Stevens, Glasgow fisherman. Stevens disappeared last Saturday after leaving a suicide note.

Congress Moves Nearer To Its Closing Hours

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unproductive session begun in January.

Only a last minute dispute between house and senate over the form of housing legislation broke the abnormal calm of the closing hours.

A momentary flurry was created last night by a refusal of southern Democratic representatives to take part in a party caucus called by supporters of the administration wage and hour bill.

The supporters wanted the caucus to force the house rules committee to let the bill be debated. Southerners, who contend the measure would hamper industrial growth in their states, would not answer roll call—and a quorum could not be obtained.

Consequently, it became certain that the wage and hour program, already passed by the senate, would go over until next session.

There was a possibility, however, one of its chief provisions—abolition of labor by children under 16—might be enacted this year. The senate unexpectedly approved that portion yesterday as a separate bill.

All major bills on the pre-adjournment calendar have passed both houses, except the third deficiency appropriation measure. The senate appropriations committee approved the inclusion of $20,000,000 to start the farm tenancy program, funds which the house already had voted.

So little was left to be done that veteran observers and legislators wondered why the leaders did not wind up the session tonight.

Not for many years has there been so little major legislation in the mill at a session's close. It happened this time only because most of the controversial problems were postponed until the next session.

Tired legislators wondered whether this would cause President Roosevelt to call them back into a special session.

Ditched In The Rush

Ditched in the rush to adjourn were the wage-hour and farm bills, a crop insurance measure and a host of less important matters.

House leaders believed they might salvage from the wreckage a bill already passed by the senate for an unemployment census, and some senators were seeking a vote on a natural gas regulation measure which the house has approved.

Before quiting, house leaders also planned to approve a senate resolution making farm legislation the first order of business at the next session.

Because so many of the President's measures have been postponed this year's accomplishments added up to little of significance aside from the routine appropriation bills and extension of old laws.

Chief exceptions to the routine measures were farm tenancy, housing, neutrality, and the Guffey coal laws.

The major controversy of the session—over judicial legislation—wound up with two bills that might have been passed with little dispute at any time, a voluntary retirement law for supreme court justices and a lower court procedure measure.

The senate passed yesterday the bill designed to close loop-holes in the tax laws.

The house considered today a committee compromise on the controversial sugar quota law, originally opposed by President Roosevelt. It was approved in the senate yesterday.

The house, usually cleaned up long ahead of the senate, dragged this time. It was there that the pre-adjournment pressure was evidenced by night sessions and a rapid pace. The best word old-timers could find to describe the session was "crazy."

OBITUARIES

Funeral of Mrs. Shy

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha A. Shy, who died Thursday at her home near LaMonte, will be held at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Prairie Ridge Methodist church, the Rev. C. M. Licklider of Sedalia to officiate.

Interment will be in the LaMonte cemetery.

Funeral of Reed Wensell

The funeral of Reed Wensell, former resident of LaMonte, who died at his home in Kansas City Thursday, was held at the Stine-McClure Funeral Home in Kansas City at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and the body was brought to LaMonte for burial in the cemetery there at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. E. L. Wade of Kansas City, formerly of LaMonte, was one of the singers at the funeral in Kansas City.

Funeral of Mrs. O'Day

The funeral of Mrs. Grace O'Day, wife of E. D. O'Day, 411 North Heard avenue, who passed away Tuesday evening at the Bothwell hospital was conducted at the Full Gospel church, Fifth street and Hancock avenue, at 2 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. Carl W. Swanson, pastor, officiating.

Pallbearers were the following friends: Forrest and Henry Richey, Gabriel Manley, Arthur Hewitt, L. J. Benedict and W. R. Dutton.

Music for the services was in charge of the church choir.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Rosetta Myers

Mrs. Catherine Rosetta Myers, widow of William H. H. Myers, a resident of Sedalia for more than 50 years, died Thursday afternoon at her residence, 1220 West Eleventh street.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Kathryn Lavender of St. Louis, and Mrs. Gladys M. Sauvain of St. Joseph. Her husband preceded her in death in 1918.

She was a member of Calvary Episcopal church.

Funeral services will be held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. Friends of the family will serve as pallbearers. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

MRS. WINKLER OF KNOB NOSTER DIES

Mrs. Sarah Brendell Winkler, aged 88 years, widow of the late J. C. Winkler, died at 11 o'clock Thursday night at her home in Knob Noster. She had suffered a stroke of paralysis Wednesday.

Mr. Winkler died in October, 1930. He established the Winkler grocery store in 1868, which is still operating and is the oldest business in Knob Noster.

Mrs. Winkler leaves the following children, Louis Winkler, Manhattan, Kas.; Mrs. Hariet Gregg, Santa Barbara, Calif.; Mrs. Lena Case, Mrs. Frances Gregory, Mrs. Mayme Brunkhorst, Redlands, Calif., and Mrs. Margaret Hocker of Knob Noster, who manages the store which her father established.

OVATION FOR MRS. ROOSEVELT AND SON

By The Associated Press.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and her son, James, appearing on the platform today as speakers at the third biennial convention of the Young Democratic Clubs of America, received a thunderous ovation from the organization that has twice aided in electing President Roosevelt.

Mrs. Roosevelt and James delivered the principal speeches at the convention opening session.

James as keynoter said the Democratic party "has not only pulled the country out of the slough of despond but actually has rebuilt it on a higher and firmer ground than it occupied in the lush days of 1929 itself."

Then he introduced his mother with these words: "I give you a lady who knows all about young Democrats for she has had five of them."

"In your communities," Mrs. Roosevelt told the delegates, "you can form public opinion and in a democracy it is public opinion that counts."

She adjured the Young Democrats "to work at being patriotic citizens."

Paul Williams of Columbia, Mo., announced his withdrawal from the race for president of the Young Democrats and pledged his support to Pitt Tyson Maner of Montgomery, Ala.

SUIT ALLEGES A CONTRACT BREACH

Alleging breach of contract David F. Ross has filed a suit in circuit court against Edward J. Mullins and Fleeta Mullins, asking the court to set aside a deed and eject the defendants from a 100-acre farm.

The petition states that on April 13, 1936, Ross, who is 79 years old, made an agreement with the defendants, the petition alleges, whereby for $1, care during his lifetime and burial he deeded his farm to Mr. and Mrs. Mullins. He alleges that the care he received was not what he contracted for, that the couple went off and left him with a relative, he had no privacy in the home, that some of his farm equipment was sold for $47 out of which he received only $5.35 for every day clothes.

W. W. Blain is attorney for the plaintiff.

FIGURES GIVEN ON LOANS ON CROPS

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Crop loans of the Commodity Credit Corporation totaled $609,289,917 in the last four years, records showed today. Farmers have paid back all but $121,504,137.

The unpaid balance resulted from loans on the 1934 cotton crop. Secretary Wallace said the corporation last $23,000,000 in liquidating this loan of $300,000,000 and would lose another $30,000,000 if the "collateral," of carryover cotton, were sold on today's market.

These losses, he said, might reduce the capital stock of the corporation, originally $100,000,000, to $47,000,000.

Loans have been made, and largely repaid, on cotton, corn, tobacco, turpentine and resin.

Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Curry of Longwood, are parents of a daughter, born at the Bothwell hospital, Thursday, August 19.

PERSONALS

Miss Anna Nash of Atchison, Kas., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dickmann, 1000 West Fourth street.

Joe Dirck, 403 West Twentieth street, has as his guest his cousin Junior Le Jeune of Lexington, Mo., who is here for a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and grand-daughter, Barbara Smith, returned Thursday evening from Princeton, Mo., where they spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. Louise Grammer and her two sons, Eugene and Nicholas of Salina, Kas., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Grammar of Washington avenue and Clay street here.

Miss Betty McElroy of Dallas, Texas, arrived Thursday for a visit of about ten days as the guest of Mrs. John T. Turner of 1020 South Osage avenue.

Mrs. Eva Bales, of Marshall and granddaughter, Leona Bales, of Shackelford, returned home today after an extended visit with relatives in Sedalia and Beaman.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Weimholdt and family of 508 East Tenth street departed Wednesday evening by train for Norwalk, Calif., where they will be guests of Mr. Weimholdt's parents for a week or two.

Mrs. Minnie Pehling, who has been spending the summer here with her daughter, Mrs. Percy Metcalfe and Mr. Metcalfe, will leave Saturday for Manhattan, Kas., to resume her ruties there as house mother for the Delta, Delta, Delta sorority.

Mrs. Eugene Cayton and little daughter, Virginia Nan, of Cortaro, Ariz., will arrive at midnight tonight for a visit with Mr. Cayton's parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Cayton, 1423 South Osage avenue. They are coming to Sedalia from Crowder, Okla., where they have spent several weeks with Mrs. Cayton's parents.

SHOWERS FOLL IN PARTS OF STATE

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—Crop damage due to drought in the Kansas City-St. Joseph area was reported alleviated by the U. S. weather bureau today after the second heavy rainfall in that sector in as many days.

While lighter showers fell in Northern Missouri, "only about one-tenth of the state benefited" from last night's rain, said government forecaster Roscoe Nunn.

St. Joseph measured 1.53 inches of rain this morning while 1.39 inches were reported at Kansas City and Kidder. Chillicothe received .85 and Maryville, where 1.36 inches fell Wednesday night, received only a light shower. Springfield had "a fair shower," .36 inches, Nunn said. Rain at a few other points was negligible.

Father of Coach Allen Dies.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Aug. 20.—(AP)—William T. Allen, 85, father of Forrest C. (Phog) Allen, basketball coach and director of physical education of the University of Kansas, died here today.

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Influence of Church and Home

Creamed Comments On S.S. Lesson

The Place of Religion in a Nation's Life. Exodus 25:1-9; 29:43-46; 40:34-38 for Sunday, August 22.

In the Tabernacle in the wilderness, we see in type God seeking fellowship and dwelling among his chosen people. We see portrayed God's attributes: love, mercy, justice, holiness and power in developing a God-fearing nation.

Vs. 1, 2. "And Jehovah spake unto Moses, saying, Speak unto the children of Israel, that they take for me an offering; of every man whose heart maketh him will ye shall take my offering." God's plan was to have the needed funds for the tabernacle before it was built by calling for needed offerings which had to be voluntary. A voluntary offering comes only when the heart is right and to get men's hearts right requires the best effort of all individuals.

V. 8. "And let them make me a sanctuary that I may dwell among them." While secret worship has its place, nevertheless it requires a sharing of devotion and praise to satisfy the soul's need; so we need a special place for our worship that will give it the help of visible form and means, and thus make it more vivid and vital to our soul.

V. 43. "And there will I meet with the children of Israel; and the tent shall be sanctified by my glory." One of man's greatest privileges is that of meeting God; this place was was to be made sacred because of His presence. It is a fine art to practice the presence of God in our lives.

V. 44. "And I will sanctify the tent of the meeting, and the altar; Aaron also and his sons will I sanctify, to minister to me in the priest's office." A church needs religious leaders prepared for their tasks, inspired by God with that divine influence upon the heart which alone makes men really and truly holy.

V. 45. "And I will dwell among the children of Israel, and will be their God." He dwelt among the children of Israel, but now he dwells in the hearts of those who believe and so Paul preached: "Christ in you, the hope of glory."

V. 46. "And they shall know that I am Jehovah their God, that brought them forth out of the land of Egypt, that I might dwell among them I am Jehovah their God." To know God is to acknowledge Him and recognize the infinite obligations to Him. The tabernacle and temple were to be perpetual reminders of the God who brought them out of Egypt and by them they would better know the fact that the Lord was God.

V. 34. "Then the cloud covered the tent of the meeting, and the glory of Jehovah filled the tabernacle." The same cloud by which God had previously manifested His presence, indicative of God's glory, permeated the entire place. Every church ought to manifest the glory of God in penitent, believing and saved souls; not to do this fails to fulfill its mission.

V. 36. "And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went forward, throughout all their journeys." No divine leadings could be more expressive or explicit. Though no such guidance perceptible to the senses is given today, yet God by His spirit, still leads those who humbly seek divine direction.

V. 38. "For the cloud of Jehovah was upon the tabernacle by day, and there was fire therein by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys." God had promised to lead these people to a land of rest, and regardless of their failures to live faithfully all the way. He would be merciful and continue to lead and bless them. God was patient and kind, ever showing them the better way and making it easy to walk in that way. The same Lord calls us to walk with Him, revealed through Jesus Christ, who has revealed more fully the paths of righteousness.

NO PREACHING SUNDAY AT LONGWOOD CHURCH

There will be no preaching service at the Longwood Presbyterian church next Sunday. Only the Sunday school in the morning and the Young People's meeting in the evening. The members of the church are cordially invited to attend the morning and afternoon services and basket dinner at the Miller Chapel church, the pastor, Rev. W. L. Robb announces.

DO YOU KNOW?

1. Who asked the question, "If a man die, shall he live again?"
2. Who were the seventy?
3. What is Isaiah's prescription for "perfect peace?"
4. What parable did Christ give in answer to the question, "Who is my neighbor?"
5. What was the feast of dedication?
6. What was Christ's claim to unity with God?

(Answers in column eight)

Age of Innocence

The proprietor reprimanded the office boy for coming in late.

"This is too much," he stormed. "You should have been here at 8."

"Why?" returned the office boy, innocently. "Did something hap-

Discussion Questions on S.S. Lesson

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1. How promote and exercise a more cheerful spirit of giving?
2. What is the right motive in giving to the Lord?
3. Why does any one imagine it ever hurts to give?
4. How may one prepare himself to really worship in a public service?
5. Why are churches important to a nation?

Clericus says: "We need to get our hearts stirred and then we will give willingly and can not be restrained. We can not stir our hearts by a sheer act of the will, but we must have reasons and motives for this state of heart."

Lesson Prayer: "We would better prepare ourselves for the public service of worship, thoughtful and considerate of others, seeking to know better God's will concerning ourselves and our duty everywhere."

Book Review

Managing One's Self by James Gordon Gilkey, The MacMillan Co. presents definite and concrete suggestions as to ways in which ordinary individuals can meet familiar problems of daily life, and thus gain a more complete mastery over self.

World Religious News

Dr. John R. Mott, Methodist layman, has been elected an "honorary canon" of the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral in Washington, D. C. His principal duty will be to preach an occasional sermon in the cathedral.

The British and Foreign Bible Society reports that a well known and respected Chinese leader has purchased 12,000 New Testaments and 6,500 Bibles at a cost of over $19,000, and has given them to government officials, officers and friends. On the cover of the books he had printed, "This is the greatest Book in the world."

Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd was presented the joint award of the International Society of Christian Endeavor and the World's Christian Endeavor Union, the International Youth Distinguished Service Citation. Dr. Daniel A. Poling, president of the World's Christian Endeavor Union made the presentation on July 8. In presenting the citation, Dr. Poling said that the Admiral was "wouth's hero tale of a generation." The morning after teh presentation, the Admiral had upwards of a hundred telegrams, including two cables from France, commenting on the citation and his address.

Judging by recent articles in Russian papers, the Communists are becoming alarmed at the growth of religion in that country. One mentions a small town with a population of 4,500 where there are 30 religious organizations. Pravda, an important Russian newspaper, states that believers are becoming bolder and bolder, and more active while the Godless League and other organizations are regrettably inactive. The paper calls for broader anti-religious work. The paper also says that religion is reviving, especially in the countryside. Heads of collective farms even conduct Church Councils, and other collective farms permit Bible reading, choir singing and evening entertainments under the direction of the priest.

Wit and Wisdom

A Convenient Interpretation

A Sunday school teacher had been telling her class the story of the Good Samaritan. When she asked them what the story meant, a small boy said:

"It means that when I am in trouble my neighbor must help me."

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A Christian's Debt

Dr. Charles E. Jefferson has said: "A Christian owes it to the community to move through the streets on Sunday morning toward the House of God. Every face turned churchwards Sunday morning leaves an impress on the life of the town. If no one went to church and everyone glued his ear to the radio, public worship would vanish and spiritual Christianity would gradually fade away. Religion is a social thing and in its Christian form it is impossible for it to survive if men hold aloof from one another. "Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together" is an old exhortation which all the generations will do well to heed.

News of the Churches

East Broadway Christian church. 9:45 Bible study hour. Classes for all ages. J. C. Gilbert, superintendent. 10:45 morning worship and sermon. "Christ's Call to The Weary." Young people's meeting at 7:00 p. m. Evening evangelistic services at 8:00 p. m. We invite you to worship with us. Plans are being made for the Homecoming on September 12. Keep the day for the church. Invite your friends. Ralph A. Fox, minister.

Methodist church, South, Fifth and Osage. J. C. English, pastor. The theme of the pastor's sermon at the 10:30 worship service Sunday morning is "You Are Bought." The music for the service will be an anthem by the choir of the church and a vocal solo by Mrs. Jean Ewers. Visitors are invited to the classes in the church school each Sunday morning at 9:30. The departments are arranged for all age groups. The Senior Epworth League young people are invited to attend the open air service Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. They will meet at the church at that time and go from there to some place for the service. The congregation is cooperating in the union services in Liberty Park each Sunday evening.

Full Gospel Assembly, Fifth and Hancock streets. C. W. Swanson, pastor. Mrs. Swanson, choir director. Lord's Day services for August 22 will be: Sunday school 9:45. Edw. Schultz, Supt. Mrs. Pearson, assistant Supt. Classes for all ages. Morning worship 11 a. m. message by pastor. Full Gospel Messengers 6:30 p. m. Ervin Kelly, president. An inspiring service for young people. Evening service 7:45. Sermon subject: "Nation Against Nation and The Final Result." Choir taking part in this service. During Fair Week open-air services will be held every night, with the exception of Saturday night, in Washington Park, beginning at 8 o'clock. Good singing and preaching of the Old Time Gospel. Saturday night we meet on Main and Ohio streets. We invite visitors to the Fair to come and worship with us in all our services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Missouri Synod. Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:20 a. m. Divine service with celebration of Holy Communion at 10:45 a. m. Theme of sermon: "Building The Temple of God." A cordial welcome to all who wish to worship with us.

Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church, Fourth and Vermont. Rev. Oscar J. Rumpf, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Bill Wilson, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. The pastor will speak on the theme, "What Is Your Capacity?" Miss Mary Schrankler will be the soloist.

Trinity Lutheran church, 10th and Osage avenue. Rev. K. de Freese, pastor. Bible school every Sunday forenoon at 9:30 o'clock. Elmer Fingland, superintendent, in charge. Special music by the orchestra. Divine worship at 8:00 p. m. The theme of the sermon will be, "An Appreciation of Values." A cordial invitation is extended to all visitors.

Cumberland Presbyterian church, 17th street and Harrison avenue. Sunday school 10 a. m. The young people who recently attended Camp Cumberland, south of Greenfield, Mo., will present a program at 7:00 p. m. All are welcome.

The First Christian church. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor. Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist. L. J. Harned, Supt. The school meets at 9:30. Morning worship 10:40. Subject of discourse, "The Youth Who Was Sorrowful." Special music, solo by Miss Frances Glover, "I Have Done My Work," also a solo by Miss Katherine Vaughn of Ohio, who is a guest of Mrs. L. E. Mowrer, who will sing "Thou Will Keep Him in Perfect Peace." Kenneth Curran of Kansas City will address the men's Bible class to which visitors are invited. Union evening services at the Park at 7:45.

First Methodist Episcopal church, Osage and West Fourth street. Quincy R. Wright, minister. The unified service will continue until the second Sunday in September and the preaching service will begin at 9:30 each Sunday morning. The church school will follow immediately. Rev. J. C. English, pastor of the Methodist church, South, and his choir will have charge of the service next Sunday morning and Rev. English will preach the sermon. Rev. Wright will preach in Kansas City in the Country Club Methodist Episcopal church of which Dr. S. B. Edmondson is pastor. First church will unite with other churches in the park meeting Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Wright will preach the sermon and the Charles Wesley choir of First church will render three special numbers, "Heart Divine," by Dvorak; "Hear My Prayer," by Rubinstein, and "Blessed Are They," by Wagner. Mrs. A. R. Beach is director of the choir, and Miss Alberta Roach will play.

Calvary Baptist church, Broadway and Moniteau. Rev. J. R. Sumners, pastor. Bible school next Lord's Day 9:30 a. m. Roy Looney, Supt. E. L. Hall, associate Supt. Morning worship 10:45. Pastor's subject: "The Christian's Aim." Luke 5-4. B. T. U. 6:45. Dr. C. Taylor, director. J. R. Durham, associate director. Mrs. O. W. Light, assembly leader. Evening worship at 8:00 o'clock. Pastor's theme: "Going Away From Jesus," Matt. 19:22. One baptized last Lord's Day evening. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. Topic for meditation and study: "Not Apostles But Adoptess." Acts 5:12-42. Choir practice Friday evening. We invite you to come worship with us in all our worship services.

Community Mission, 517 South Lafayette. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. W. D. Barton, superintendent. Preaching at 3 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday. Those not attending Sunday school elsewhere cordially invited. Special speaker for the afternoon service with special music. You are invited to join in the old time gospel services.

First Baptit church, sixth and Lamine avenue. Dwight H. Willett, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. C. A. Dinwiddie, general superintendent. Morning worship at 10:35. Solo by Mrs. Crutcher. Mrs. B. B. Bess, choir director. Mrs. Clyde Williams at the piano. Rev. Magruder, a student in Yale Divinity College will preach both morning and evening. Baptist Training Union at 6:45. Miss Myrtle Lewis, general director. Evening worship at 8 p. m. Congregational singing led by S. J. Allen. Solo by Mrs. Lola Farley. Mrs. O. H. Dewolf at the piano. We are looking forward to having our pastor with us again next Sunday.

Broadway Presbyterian church, corner of Broadway and Kentucky avenue. For Sunday, August 22, we have regular services as follow: Bible school at 9:30 with classes for all ages. Church service at 10:45 conducted by Dr. T. H. B. Smith of Holden, Mo. At 7:30 we unite with the other churches in the union services at Liberty Park. You are welcome at all these services.

Wesley Chapel, Fourteenth and Stewart. Rev. C. M. Licklider will preach Sunday morning at 10:30. Rev. Henry Haines will preach Sunday evening at 7:30. Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:30. You are invited to attend all of these services.

Church of Christ meeting at 2 p. m. each Lord's Day at 1401 South Grand avenue. Come and worship with us.

First Church of Christ, Scientist services are held in our church edifice, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning services at 11:00. Subject: "Mind." Golden Text, Philippians 2:5.

Wednesday evening service at 8:00 o'clock. The church maintains a reading room located in the same building, entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public every afternoon from 2 until 4, except Sundays and holidays, also after the services Wednesday evening and Sunday morning. The Bible and all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy may be read, borrowed or purchased at this room. The public is cordially invited to the services and to enjoy privileges of the reading room.

Catholic Churches

St. Patrick's Parish, Rev. P. A. Dunn, M. A., pastor. Masses: Sundays 6, 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Week days at 8:00 a. m. Holy hour Sundays at 3:00 p. m.

Sacred Heart Parish, Rev. C. Daniels, C. PP., S., pastor. Masses: Sundays 6:00, 7:30, 8:45 and 10 a. m. Week days 6:15 and 8:00 a. m. Holy hour, Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30.

St. John's Parish, Bahner. Masses at 8 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of every month, and on Holy days. Masses at 10 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays. St. Patrick's Parish, Spring Fork. Masses at 8 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th ed one hour during the summer Sundays. And at 10 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays and on Holy days. Hours for all Masses advancmonths.

REV. C. L. NEWKIRK RESIGNS PASTORATE

Rev. George L. Newkirk has resigned the pastorate of the Baptist church of Syracuse, Mo., after nine years and three months of service, to become effective the third Sunday in September.

The church has prospered under his leadership and is one of the best organized churches in Central Missouri. The Sunday school, which was partially graded, has gradually become thoroughly graded, departmentalized into eight departments, including cradle roll and extension departments with a total enrollment of 245. The B. T. U. has grown from one group of mixed ages to five graded departments with an enrollment of 65 and at one time had an enrollment of 110. The W. M. S. from one organization of a few women to five groups with an enrollment of about 75. The department of music directed by Mr. Albert Ellis and Miss Elizabeth Bahrenberg, consists of a choir of about 15 voices, an orchestra of 15 pieces, two pianos and an organ.

Rev. George L. Newkirk

The retiring pastor conducted three revivals and did the preaching the last week in two others when Rev. Ray Settle and Rev. J. A. Bryson were called away. More than 150 have been baptized during his ministry.

During the past four years the church has stayed within its income financially and there are no debts, but a balance in the treasury.

The first Sunday in September, the church will conduct an installation service for the new officers for 1937-38, and ordain two deacons at the morning worship hour 11 a. m. Harley Thomas and Everett Allee are to be ordained to serve three years, and Clyde Cordry will be installed as a deacon, also for three years. These three replace R. E. Kirchner, Oliver Stahl and Kenneth Kirchner.

The only church in the association with a larger church membership and Sunday school enrollment is Boonville, a town of more than 6,000, while in the missionary and training departments, Syracuse church stands first.

Several hundred awards have also been delivered to the members through study courses in the Sunday school, B. T. U. and missionary departments.

Return From Arkansas

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie E. Withers and family of Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. Withers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Withers of Hughesville, route 1, have just returned from a trip in the south.

They visited Mrs. Withers' sister, Mrs. John Goire of Alexander, Ark. They were also at Little Rock, England, Hot Springs and many other interesting places. On the way they visited Ozark Beach at Lake Taneycomo, Eureka Springs and Roaring river state park.

One Minute Pulpit

As the whirlwind passeth, so is the wicked no more: but the righteous is an everlasting foundation.—Proverbs 10:25.

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Church Forum

What is one good test of good preaching? At least one good test of preaching is that children can understand it. What boys and girls can grasp, older people will appreciate. There are many preachers whom children can not understand. Yet the great facts of Christianity can be presented and the great doctrines of Christianity can be explained in simple language.

When a sermon is obscure and muddy it is because the preacher's processes of thought are involved or because he has not been industrious enough to master a vocabulary in which he can express himself intelligently. One of our friends who carries heavy responsibilities, spends a large part of his summer vacation in writing juvenile books. His primary motive is to quicken his imagination, to keep his heart young and to keep his language simple and his style clear. Phillips Brooks, John A. Broadus, D. W. Moody and Billy Sunday were different from each other in most ways, but they were alike in the simplicity of their message.—Selected.

Home Education

Uncontrolled Temper

The story is told of Bobby Jones, the champion golf player, who, having an uncontrolled temper, succeeded in mastering it and making a name for himself.

As a lad he accompanied his father on the golf links and early began to use a golf club; but whenever the ball got into a bad place, he allowed his anger to rise and he would display an uncontrolled temper, sometimes breaking the club as if thus taking revenge.

The habit of losing his temper became so bad that he was told one day he could never control a golf ball until he controlled his temper. The lad believed the truth of the admonition and set about the task of mastering himself. By degrees he succeeded in checking and finally in completely controlling his temper. It was then that he began to win in playing golf. A fiery temper eats up poise and patience, makes the nerves unsteady, and saps energy.

To win in the game of life, one must win in the control of a harassed temper.—D. Carl Yoder.

The Better Way

Peace Money

Small in comparison with the $75,000,000 bids made by ship-builders on each of two battleships authorized by Congress, Frank B. Kellogg's gift of $500,000 was nevertheless the largest donation for peace making that has been made since the World War. Appropriate it was that the man who engineered the solution to the Tanoa-Arica dispute, shared with Aristide Briand the authorship of the peace pact, and served a term as judge of the World Court, should have given of his fortune, too, as he approached his eighty-second birthday. The fund sets up a peace foundation at Carleton College. The income will be sufficient to provide two full time professors and one half time visiting professor from a foreign country, to enrich the library in the field of international relations, to furnish $1,000 each for four foreign students at Carleton and $1,500 each for two Carleton students studying abroad, to finance an annual exchange professorship with some foreign university, and to pay a radio address on international affairs annually over at least one international hook-up.—Selected.

The Grab Bag

One-Minute Test

1. What federal agency supervises administration of the Guffey coal act?
2. Where is the Isle of Wight?
3. What is an onomatopoetic word?

Hints on Etiquette

Bon voyage gifts should be acknowledged promptly. It is considered best to send letters of thanks directly from the ship.

Words of Wisdom

Let the gulled fool the toils of war pursue, where bleed the many to enrich the few.—Shenstone.

Today's Horoscope

Many whose birthday occurs today have marked powers of leadership. They soon assert themselves in any group, rising to positions of trust and honor.

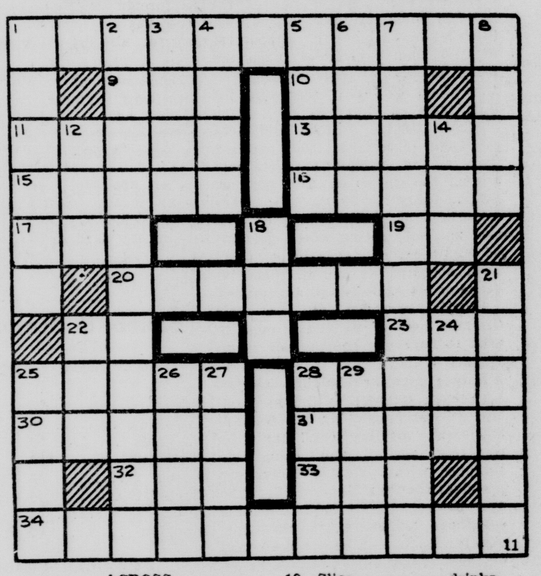
One-Minute Test Answers

1. The bituminous coal commission.
2. In the English channel.
3. One in which a sound is imitated.

DO YOU KNOW ANSWERED

1. Job.
2. Disciples whom Christ sent out after the sending of the twelve.
3. "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on thee."
4. The parable of the Good Samaritan.
5. A feast held in November to celebrate the rededication of the temple after the Greeks had desecrated it for three years.
6. "I and my Father are one."

DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

1—Cheering
9—Argentum (abbr.)
10—Past of gin (begin)
11—Pertaining to a coma
13—External
15—Put on
16—Secluded valleys
17—A vegetable (sing.)
19—Second tone of the scale
20—Cloudy
22—A department in China
23—A rowing implement
25—A city in Italy
28—A brass wind instrument
30—A decree of a Mohammed prince
31—Examinations taken orally
32—A beverage
33—A social insect
34—Those who trespass

DOWN

1—Avoid
2—Bell-shaped
3—Spoken
4—Hideous
5—Eager
6—A native of ancient Gaul
7—Question
8—Fish (kind)
12—Open (poetic)
14—Compass point
18—Slice
21—Peaks
22—Any of a genus of pinaceous trees
24—Wholly
25—Place where money is coined
26—Fruit drinks
27—The pole of a team-drawn vehicle
28—Long neck-pieces of fur or feathers
29—Coffee receptacles

Answer to previous puzzle:

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The Place of Religion — ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By the Rev. Alvin E. Bell And Alfred J. Buescher

Scripture—Exodus 25:1-40; 29:43-46; 40:1-38

God gave to Moses the plans for a place of worship called the Tabernacle. It was much like a tent surrounded by a court and enclosed by curtains.

In the innermost court was a chest overlaid with gold and surmounted by angel-like beings of gold. This was the ark of the covenant.

On a table overlaid with gold twelve loaves of bread were laid daily. A golden candlestick gave light. These represented Christ the Bread of Life and Light of the World.

The Tabernacle was situated in the midst of the camp. It was overshadowed by day and night with cloud and fire. Thus God pictured his presence.

(GOLDEN TEXT—Psalm 33:12)

ATHLETICS WHIP ODESSA 10 TO 5 AND EVEN SCORE

Sedalians Avenge Their Only Shutout of Year With Timely Attack

The Sedalia Athletics saved their timeliest hitting of the season for their final home appearance and evened the score with the Odessa Merchants for the current campaign by pounding out a 10 to 5 victory last night under the Liberty Park floodlights.

The usually light hitting home forces collected ten safe blows, four of them for extra bases and never wasted an opportunity to score as they solved the delivery of Wallace from the start.

Wallace, who had blanked the Athletics on three hits when the two teams clashed here earlier in the month, lacked control and although he struck out eleven he issued nine free tickets to first base, many of the walks leading to runs.

After the visitors had taken a 3 to 1 lead at the end of three and one half innings, the Sedalians moved out in front to stay when Lobaugh singled with the bases full in the fourth, sending all three runners across the plate.

Two more runs were chalked up by the A's in the sixth on a walk and hits by Verts and Light and the Sedalians' biggest scoring spree of the season was climaxed by a four-run onslaught in the seventh. Brownfield's double was the only hit off Wallace in the A's big inning, but he walked three and his mates added to his difficulty with a brace of errors.

The Athletics play at Stover Sunday.

The box score:

Odessa Merchants

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
N. Patterson, 3b..	4	0	0	0	3	0
Ellis, 2b.....	4	1	2	3	4	1
Kahn, ss.....	4	1	1	0	2	1
C. Patterson, c ..	4	1	1	10	3	1
Fickle, lf.....	4	0	0	0	0	1
Boeschen, 1b....	4	2	1	11	0	0
Gibbs, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Carter, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wallace, p.....	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	6	24	12	4

Sedalia Athletics

	AB	P	H	PO	A	E
Light, ss.....	4	0	2	1	2	0
Barnes rf.....	4	0	2	0	0	0
Livengood, 1b....	3	0	2	13	0	0
Case, lf.....	4	1	0	4	0	0
Small, 3b.....	4	2	0	0	1	2
Brown, c.....	2	2	0	7	0	2
Brownfield, cf	3	3	1	1	0	1
Lobaugh, 2b.....	3	0	1	1	5	0
Verts, p.....	4	2	2	0	3	0
Totals	31	10	10	27	11	4

Score by innings:

Odessa	010	200	020	5
Sedalia	001	302	40x	10

Summary: Two base hits—Ellis, Kahn, Verts 2, Bownfield. Three base hits—Boeschen, Barnes. Double play—Ellis to Boeschen. Bases on balls—Off Wallace 7, off Verts 1. Struck out—By Wallace 11, by Verts 7. Hit by pitcher—By Verts (Carter).

Jack Story Famous Sports Commentator Be at Races Sunday

At the Fair Ground Sunday, August 22, auto racing fans are to be entertained and thrilled by Jack Story, world-famed Sports Commentator. Acclaimed by leading sporting-event promoters as one of the nation's most exciting announcers, Story's broadcasts of important aviation and auto races reach the same degree of exciting interest that Clem McCarthy gets into his broadcasts of heavyweight championship fights. Story's audiences are made to feel that they are actually in the racing cars tearing around the curves of the perilous track. Story knows virtually every important personality in the aviation and auto racing world—has lived with them—ridden with them and been accepted as one of them because of his exploits and adventures.

Story's presence at the Fair Grounds here in Sedalia is contributed through the courtesy of Montgomery Ward.

Racing fans are looking forward with keen interest to the performance of world-champion Gus Schrader's new "mystery car." Built by Gus this spring, and completely equipped with Riverside Tires, Gus promises the fans bigger thrills than ever before. Emory Collins, leading contender for the world championship is going out to be the No. 1 man on the dirt tracks this season, he assures fans. Everything points to plenty of excitement at the tracks. Collins' car is completely equipped with Riverside tires.

"K" YUNKER AMONG STATE'S RANKING TABLE TENNISERS

Kenneth "K" Yunker of Kansas City, a former Sedalian, was included on the list of the state's top seeded players in rankings announced Thursday by the Missouri table tennis committee.

NOTICE

The new city dump, Twenty-second street and Engineer avenue, is now open for city dumping purposes. The dump on North Highway 65 has been closed.

RAYMOND FETTERS,
Sanitary Officer.

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The Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Prettiest sitting football coach is Dana X. Bible at Texas U.....He has a ten year contract at $15,000 per.... Note to American League managers: Joe McCarthy says he'll make the Yankees 40 per cent stronger by trades next winter....Read it and weep....There isn't a married gal on the British Wightman cup team. ....That goes for Kay Stammers, too....Why is a mystery to everyone who has seen her.

When more and better overtures are made, Max Schmeling will make 'em....Mike Jacobs is "regusted" at the German's demands for 30 per cent of the gate to meet the Louis-Farr winner...."I offered him that to meet Louis two months ago," says Mike, "and he gave me the old runaround....We'll just leave him on the hot seat for a little while".... Trainer Max Hirsch is turning down all offers for Caballero, II, the Chilean sensation....It will take more than $40,000 to buy the hoss which Max got for less than $10,000. ...Al Jolson, the comedian, and Nelson Howard of California, have offered as high as $25,000.

No. 1 comeback man of the 1937 baseball season is Senor Vernon (El Goofy) Gomez of the Yankees. ....Writer in a southern paper says the only way to stop War Admiral and Seabiscuit is to let "Man Mountain" Dean Jockey 'em....If wise old Bill McKechnie is offered the job of managing the Cleveland Indians, the Bees will release him.... Only hitch is, Bill says he is content to stay right up there in Beantown with Bob Quinn....Just for the records, Harry Lenny and "Dumb Dan" Morgan, two plenty smart fight managers, give Tommy Farr a chance to stay longer with Joe Louis than Jimmy Braddock did.

How those Dodgers have fallen! ....A Brooklyn cafe which has always given a play-by-play account of Dodger games (no matter how the team was going) now features the Giants....and their old stand-by, the Brooklyn Eagle, yesterday gave its lead position to the Terrymen.... His fingertips show Tommy Farr is flirting plenty with lady nicotine these days....By the way, what's become of good old Casey Stengel and his big ears?....Looks like Rip Collins may be the difference between the Cubs and the National League pennant....The world's series flag the immortal Braves won in 1914 now adorns the locker of Coach Hank Gowdy in the bean eaters' clubhouse.

PACESETTERS IN THE BIG LEAGUES

By The Associated Press.

National League

Batting — Medwick, Cardinals, .401; P. Waner, Pirates, .388.

Runs—Medwick, Cardinals, 91; Galan, Cubs, 88.

Runs batted in—Medwick, Cardinals, 119; Demaree, Cubs, 90.

Hits—Medwick, Cardinals, 173; P. Waner, Pirates, 168.

Doubles—Medwick, Cardinals, 46; Mize, Cardinals, 29.

Triples — Goodman, Reds, and Vaughan and Handley, Pirates, 10.

Home runs—Medwick, Cardinals, 26; Ott, Giants, 24.

Stolen bases—Galan, Cubs, 17; Hack, Cubs, 12.

Pitching—Hubbell, Giants, 17-6; Fette, Bees, 14-5.

American League

Batting—Gehringer, Tigers, .376; Travis, Senators, .375.

Runs — Dimaggio, Yankees, 118; Rolfe, Yankees, 107.

Runs batted in—Greenberg, Tigers, 122; Dimaggio and Gehrig, Yankees, 117.

Hits — Dimaggio, Yankees, 161; Walker, Tigers, 155.

Doubles—Bonura, White Sox, 39; Greenberg, Tigers, and Vosmik, Browns, 36.

Triples — Stone, Senators and Kreevich, White Sox, 13.

Home runs—Dimaggio, Yankees, 35; Foxx, Red Sox, 31.

Stolen bases—Chapman, Red Sox, 28; Walker, Tigers, 16.

Pitching—Murphy, Yankees, 12-2; Ruffing, Yankees, 16-4 and Poffenberger, Tigers, 8-2.

Baseball Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	67	42	.615
New York	63	44	.589
St. Louis	59	47	.557
Pittsburgh	59	48	.542
Boston	53	57	.482
Cincinnati	44	63	.411
Philadelphia	44	66	.400
Brooklyn	42	64	.396

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	74	33	.692
Detroit	62	44	.585
Chicago	63	48	.568
Boston	60	46	.566
Cleveland	50	54	.481
Washington	49	57	.462
St. Louis	34	72	.321
Philadelphia	33	71	.317

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	71	52	.577
Columbus	71	52	.577
Toledo	69	54	.561
Milwaukee	63	59	.516
Indianapolis	59	62	.488
Kansas City	58	65	.472
St. Paul	51	69	.417
Louisville	47	74	.388

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SLATER PROTEST OF ROSENTHALS' HURLER ALLOWED

Teams Ordered to Replay Softball Tournament Game Tonight

Fred Hoffman of St. Joseph, chairman of the state softball board last night ordered the Slater-Rosenthal game in the Central Missouri district softball tournament be replayed following a protest by Slater of the use of Pitcher Bob Alpert by the Rosenthals in the semi-finals Wednesday night.

Alpert who was a member of the local Montgomery Ward team which was eliminated in the first round of the tournament, was pressed into service by the Rosenthals when their regular pitcher, Duane Beucke, was taken ill earlier in the week. Alpert blanked the Slater team with one hit, the Rosenthals advancing to the finals with a 2 to 0 victory. the other semi-final game Wednesday.

As the result of the protest being allowed, Slater and the Rosenthals will be forced to play off their semi-final game tonight, the winner remaining on the field to play M. F. A. of Marshall for the championship. M. F. A. reached the finals by upsetting the local Missouri Pacific Boosters, 3 to 1, in other semi-final game Wednesday.

The exhibition contest between the Rosenthal girls and the M. F. A. girls which was to have been played as part of tonight's program has been cancelled to make way for the Rosenthal-Slater rematch.

The protested game will be played at 7:30 o'clock with Beucke scheduled to return to the mound for the Rosenthals. The championship game will follow immediately upon completion of the playoff.

CARDS GET 25-YEAR-OLD SOUTHPAW TOM SUNKEL

By The Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—Tom Sunkel, 25-year-old lefthanded pitcher from Decatur, Ill., has been added to the Cardinal mound corps, the Red Birds' management announced last night. He will report immediately.

Sunkel, who will fill the vacancy left by the voluntary retirement of Paul Dean, has been at Decatur on option by Rochester. This season he has fanned 215 batters in 174 innings won 11 games and lost nine. His home is in Paris, Ill.

Baseball Results

National League

First game—

Philadelphia ..	000	000	000—0	6 1
Brooklyn	101	000	01x—3	7 0

Mulcahy, Jorgens and Grace; Hoyt and Spencer.

Second game—

Philadelphia ..	021	000	301—7	10 1
Brooklyn	002	000	003—5	9 1

Johnson. Passeau and Atwood; Lindsey, Mungo, Hamlin and Spencer, Phelps.

First game—

St. Louis	400	000	002—6	7 1
Cincinnati	000	000	002—2	8 2

Warneke and Owen; Grissom, Mooty, Hallahan and Lombardi.

Second game—

St. Louis	000	002	003—5	10 0
Cincinnati	000	000	010—1	8 3

Ryba and Owen; R. Davis and Campbell, Lombardi.

Home runs: Mize and Gutteridge.

Chicago	010	300	003—7	14 0
Pittsburgh	020	100	000—3	10 1

Davis and Hartnett; Bowman, Brown, Weaver, Brandt and Todd, Padden.

Home run: Brubaker.

New York ..	000	100	000 00—1	6 0
Boston	000	000	100 01—2	8 1

Gumbert, Melton and Danning; Turner and Lopez.

Home run: Cuccinello.

American League

Boston	101	000	030—5	10 1
Philadelphia ..	110	110	000—4	8 3

Marcum, Wilson and Desautels, Berg; Kelley and Brucker.

Home runs: Moses and McNair.

Washington	200	010	000 000—3	11 3
New York .	003	000	000 001—4	10 1

W. Ferrell and R. Ferrell; Ruffing and Dickey.

Home run: Stone.

Cleveland	000	240	003—9	14 0
St. Louis	001	000	000—1	10 0

J. Allen, Feller and Sullivan; Koupal, Strickland and Hemsley.

Home run: Campbell.

Detroit	231	105	—12	15 0
Chicago	040	000	— 4	8 3

Bridges and York; Whitehead, Cain and Sewell.

Home runs: G. Walker 2, Piet and York 2.

Second game: postponed, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

First game:

Kansas City..	000	501	030—9	12 2
Indianapolis..	230	000	000—5	8 3

Kleinhans and Hartje; Phillips and Lewis.

Second game:

Kansas City..	020	200	400—8	12 1
Indianapolis..	000	000	011—2	8 2

Banch and Hartje; Logan, McLaughlin and Riddle.

St. Paul 0, Toledo 5.

Minneapolis 4; Columbus 5.

Milwaukee 9-4, Louisville 6-1.

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Gehringer Moves Up in Race for American League Batting Crown

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—A little revision of Theodore Roosevelt's famous "speak softly and carry a big stick" motto explains why Charles Leonard Gehringer, the Detroit Tigers' great second baseman, is up there battling for the American league batting championship.

The "speak softly" part of it comes naturally to Gehringer, who not only speaks softly but speaks seldom. The "big stick" he changed to a "bigger" stick about a month ago with the result he has jammed into the clubbing struggle with the Yankees' Joe Di Maggio and Cecil Travis, Washington's sensational youngster.

Gehringer, king of the American league's second basemen, decided to try a bigger stick. He shifted from a 34 ounce weapon to one scaling 37 ounces, and his average started to mount.

Today, as he prepared to go to work in a double header against the Chicago White Sox, Gehringer topped the league's hitters with a .375 average, better by a point than the .374's of Di Maggio and Travis.

Gehringer, whose previous bid for the batting title in eleven full seasons as a star with the Tigers, came in 1934 when he finished runner-up to Lou Gehrig's .363 with .356, said the heavier bat was the only change in his system.

A Coast League Umpire Arrested During Game on Charge of Drunkenness

By The Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—Umpire Jack Powell, veteran Pacific Coast league arbiter, was at liberty today on bail after his arrest by Sacramento police in the sixth inning of the San Diego-Sacramento baseball game last night.

Police Captain Art Thomas said Powell was intoxicated and was so booked. Thomas said the umpire was arrested after he was made the target of pop bottles and seat cushions thrown by irate bleacher fans who were angered by Powell's decisions.

Powell was released by police after Jimmy Reese of the San Diego team, which won the game, 8 to 0, posted $10 bail for him.

The second place Senators protested the game, but not the jailing of Powell. The victory gave San Diego a two and a half game lead in the league standings.

FIGHTS THURSDAY NIGHT

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK—Kid Chocolate, 127, Cuba, outpointed Johnny Defoe 126¼, New York (10).

PITTSBURGH—John Henry Lewis, 181½, world's light heavyweight champion, Phoenix, Ariz., outpointed Italo Colonello, 200, Italy (12) non-title.

DES MOINES, Ia.—Barney Ross, 143, Chicago, world's welterweight champion, outpointed Al Manfredo, 149, Los Angeles (10) non-title.

ST. LOUIS—Otis Thomas, 198, Chicago, stopped Isidoro Castanaga, 207, of Spain, (8).

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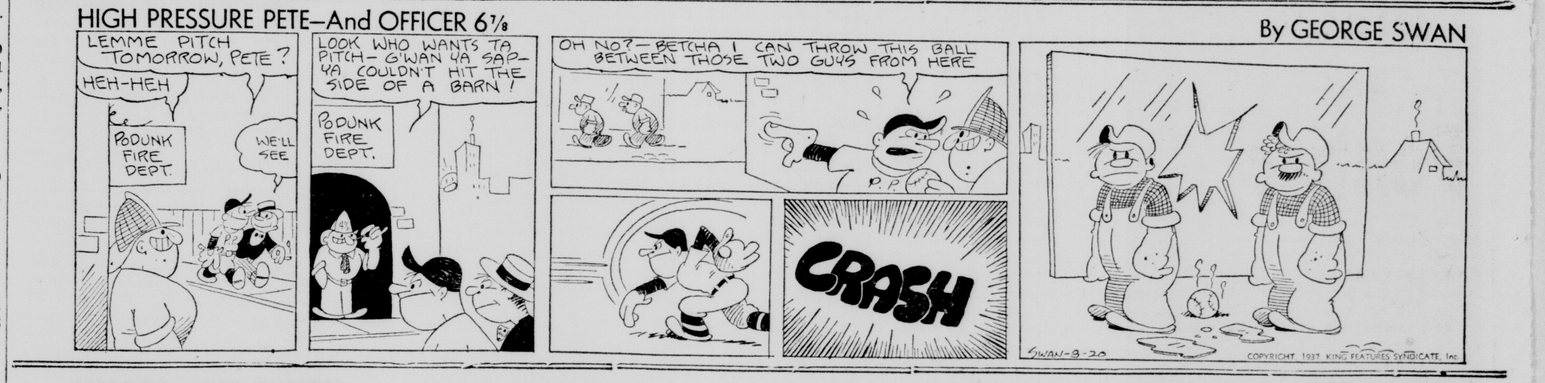
SPORTS MIRROR

By The Associated Press.

Today a year ago—Dizzy Dean chalked up 21st victory of season to keep Cardinals 1½ games in front.

Three years ago—Dizzy Dean reinstated after hearing before Commissioner Landis on charge of insubordination made by Manager Frank Frisch.

Five years ago—Paul De Bruyn, early pace-setter, collapsed 150 yards from finish as Clyde Martah won National A. A. U. marathon.



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CATTLE, GRAIN, POULTRY MARKETS

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 5,000; market slow, weak to 10 cents lower; one outstanding load around 210 pounds $13.00; few butchers 240 to 300 pounds $12.00 to $12.60; most good packing sows $10.50 to $11.15.

Cattle 1,500; calves 500; negligible supply fed steers and heifers; general trade slow, weak; few common and medium lightweight grass steers to sell at $11.50 down; grass heifers $6.50 to $8.50; cutter and common southwesterns $5.00 to $6.25; grass fat beef cows $6.00 to $7.25; bulls off 25 cents or more; practical top $6.50; vealers steady; good and choice $10.00 to $11.00.

Sheep 6,000; active, spring lambs strong to higher; sheep steady to weak; bulk native lambs $10.75 down; slaughter ewes $4.40 to $5.00.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Aug. 20.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 3,000; none through; 350 direct; slow, steady to 10 cents lower; later bids off more; bulk good and choice 170 to 240 pounds early $12.50 to $12.65; moderate numbers early $12.70, top $12.75; no action on heavier weights; good and choice 140 to 160 pounds $11.50 to $12.00; 100 to 130 pounds $9.50 to $11.00; good sows $10.50 to $11.10; few to $11.25.

Cattle 3,000; calves 1,500; vealers steady, top $11.00; other classes in light supply and limited demand, with general price trend weak to lower in sluggish clean up trade; a few heifers $5.50 to $8.00; beef cows around $5.25 to $7.00, top $9.00; cutters and low cutters $3.75 to $4.75; sausage bulls largely $5.50 to $6.50; nominal range slaughter steers $6.75 to $16.75, slaughter heifers $5.50 to $15.50.

Sheep 2,500; opened steady; choice native lambs to city butchers $10.50; packers talking lower.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 400; no directs; very slow, mostly 10 to 15 cents lower; top $12.40; sows 15 to 25 lower, mostly $9.50 to $10.50.

Cattle 600; calves 300; killing classes fully steady in a cleanup trade; no beef steers or yearlings of consequence offered; low cutters and cutter cows mostly $3.75 to $4.75; odd lots butcher cows $5.00 to $7.00; a few grass heifers down from $7.50; selected vealers $10.00.

Sheep 5,000; 3,500 through; lambs steady to strong; sheep weak to 25 cents lower; choice Colorado lambs $10.10; natives down from $9.75; common to good ewes $2.50 to $3.25.

WHEAT AND CORN IN SHARP DECLINE

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Flurried selling that broke out late today swept wheat and corn values down more than three cents a bushel, September corn almost the immediate permissible limit.

Liquidating sales on the part of holders of September corn contracts unwilling or unable to accept possible large tenders of corn started the selling, which soon spread to the wheat market, and other commodities. Lard and oats fell to new low price records for the season.

At the close, corn was 1⅛ to 3⅝ cents under yesterday's finish, Sept. 94½c to 94⅝c, Dec. 64⅝c to 64¾c; wheat 2 cents to 2¾ cents down, Sept. $1.04½ to $1.04¾, Dec. $1.06½ to $1.06⅝, and oats ⅛ to ¾ cent off.

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Kansas City Grain Table

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.01½	.97⅜	.97¾	$1.00¾
Dec	$1.03¾	.99⅝	$1.00⅛	$1.03
May	$1.06⅛	$1.02	$1.02⅝	$1.05¼
CORN—				
Sept	.90¼	.86⅜	.86⅞	.89⅝
Dec	.63⅞	.62½	.62½	.64⅛

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.07⅞	$1.04⅛	$1.04½	$1.07
Dec	$1.09¾	$1.06⅛	$1.06½	$1.09
May	$1.11⅞	$1.08⅛	$1.08⅞	$1.11
CORN—				
Sept	.98⅝	.94⅜	.94½	.98
Dec	.65⅝	.64½	.64⅝	.65⅞
May	.67¼	.65⅝	.65⅝	.66⅞
OATS—				
Sept	.29⅞	.29⅛	.29⅛	.29⅝
Dec	.29½	.29	.29	.30¼
May	.30¾	.30¼	.30⅜	.30½
SOY BEANS—				
Oct	——	——	.95⅞	.96¼
Dec	.95½	.94½	.94½	.95¼
May	.98	.97	.97	.98¼
RYE—				
Sept	.80	.76¼	.77⅛	.80
Dec	.77½	.74⅞	.75⅝	.77½
May	.78⅛	.76	.76⅜	.78

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Wheat: 198 cars; 2¾ cents higher to 4¼ cents lower. No. 2 dark hard $1.07½ to $1.09½; No. 3, nominal 97½c to $1.11½; No. 2 hard $1.09 to $1.10½; No. 3, $1.03 to $1.06¼; No. 2 red $1.06¾; No. 3, $1.00 to $1.01.

Close: Sept. 97¾c to 98c; Dec. $1.00⅛; May $1.02⅝.

Corn: None; ½ cent higher to 3¼ cents lower. No. 2 white, nominal $1.06½ to $1.12½; No. 3, nominal $1.02½ to $1.08½; No. 2 yellow, nominal $1.09½ to $1.14; No. 3, nominal $1.04½ to $1.11; No. 2 mixed, nominal $1.04½ to $1.09; No. 3, nominal $1.00½ to $1.06.

Close: Sept. 86⅞c; Dec. 62½c to 62⅝c; May 64½c.

Oats: 4 cars; ¼ cent higher to ½ cent lower. No. 2 white nominal 29¾c to 31c; No. 3, 30c.

Milo maize, nominal $1.49 to $1.58.

Kafir, nominal $1.41 to $1.49.

Rye, nominal 73c to 75c.

Barley, onminal 46c to 67c.

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Cash—Wheat: No. 2 red $1.09; No. 3, $1.03½ to $1.06½.

Corn: No. 2 yellow $1.05.

Oats: None.

CLOSE—

Wheat: Sept. $1.03¼; Dec. $1.05¾; May $1.08 bid.

Corn: Dec. 64¾c sellers; May 66c sellers.

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Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Butter, 11,213, firm; creamery specials (93 score) 33¼c to 33¾c; extras (92 score) 32¾c; extra firsts (90-91 score) 32c to 32¼c; firsts (88-89 score) 29½c to 30½c; seconds (84-87½ score) 25c to 28½c; standards (90 score centralized carlots) 32c.

Eggs 7,857, firm; extra firsts local 20½c; cars 20¾c; fresh graded firsts local 20c; cars 20½c; current receipts 18½c.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Eggs: Missouri standards 19½c; Missouri No. 1, 17c; current receipts 15½c; undergrades 13½c.

Butter: Creamery extras 32½c to 33c; standards 32½c; firsts 29c; seconds 28c.

Butterfat: No. 1, 30c; No. 2, 28c.

Cheese: Northern Twins 19½c.

Poultry: Hens 13c to 19c; Leghorns 10c to 13c; springs 21c to 22c; spring Leghorns 20c; turkeys, hens 14c to 16c; toms 11¾c to 13½c; No. 2, 9c; ducks, spring 11c to 13c; old 6c to 8c; geese 5c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—(AP)—Produce: Eggs 19c.

Creamery butter 32½c; butterfat 28c to 30c; packing butter 18c.

Poultry: Hens 13c to 18½c; roosters 9½c to 11½c; springs 20c to 22c; broilers 22c to 23c.

DAILY POULTRY AND EGG MARKET

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The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of feed:

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Spring, over 2 pounds	21c
Springs, under 2 pounds	20c
Leghorn springs	19c
Cox, over 4½ pounds	11c
Cox, 4½ pounds and under	10c
FRESH EGGS	
No. 1 eggs	17c
No. 2 eggs	13c
Butterfat cream	32c

FINANCIAL NEWS

SELLING DRIVE LOWERS STOCKS

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—(AP)—A late selling drive unloosened stocks further in today's market and leading issues dropped 1 to 3 or more points.

Brokers could point to no specific news as responsible for the afternoon dip which was fast during the 15 minutes it lasted.

Shelling of an American cruiser at Shanghai, unintentional or otherwise, tended to stress the seriousness of the Sino-Japanese war although it was thought little important stock liquidation resulted from this incident.

Likelihood of a quick adjournment of congress was seen as a minor influence either way. It was believed, though, the Washington puzzle may have restrained buyers to some extent.

Transfers were around $00,000 shares.

Closing Of Leading Stocks

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American & For. Power	7⅜	7⅜
American Smelt. & Ref.	94	91
American Tel. & Tel.	170½	168¾
American Tobacco "B"	73¼	73
Anaconda Copper	59⅛	57¼
Atchison T. and S. F.	76⅝	76½
Auburn Auto	16⅜	15⅝
Bethlehem Steel	98⅝	97½
Chicago & Northwestern	3⅜	3¼
Chrysler	113½	112⅜
Curtis-Wright	5⅜	5⅝
Curtis-Wright A	19¼	19
Du Pont De Nem.	163	160⅝
Eastman Kodak	192	188¾
General Electric	55⅜	55⅜
General Motors	57	56¼
Int. Harvester	116	114¼
International Shoe	43½	——
Int. Tel. & Tel.	——	10¼
Kennecott Copper	60½	60⅜
Libby, McN. and Libby	——	12⅜
Ligg. & Myers Tob. "B"	——	100
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	——	29¼
Mid. Cont. Pet.	31⅜	30½
Missouri Kansas Texas	6⅜	——
Missouri Pacific	——	3
Montgomery Ward	62½	61
Nash Kelvinator	18½	18¼
National Cash Reg. "A"	35½	34½
North American	24⅞	24½
Packard	8⅞	8¾
Phillips Pet.	59⅞	58
Purity Baking	14	13⅞
Radio Corp. of America	10⅝	10⅜
Sears-Roebuck	96	94
Skelly Oil	54	52½
Standard Oil of Ind.	46⅜	45¾
Studebaker	14	13⅜
Swift & Co	24¼	24⅛
U. S. Steel	115⅜	114¼
Westinghouse E. & Mfg.	154	151

Few Leaders Upon The Curb

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
Am. Light and Trac.	18⅝	18½
Arkansas Nat. Gas	6⅜	6⅞
Arkansas Nat. Gas A	7	6¾
Assoc. Gas & El. (5%)	2⅝	2⅝
Cities Service	3	3
Cities Service pf.	42¾	41
Eagle-Picher Lead	19⅞	20⅜
El. Bond and Share	17⅜	17¼
Ford Motor Canadian "A"	——	24½
Ford Motor Ltd.	6⅞	6¾
National Bellas Hess	2	1⅞
Standard Oil Ky.	20½	21⅜

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No. 10—Leave	2:40 a. m.
No. 12—Leave	10:35 a. m.
No. 16—Leave	3:15 p. m.
No. 14—Leave	7:10 p. m.
West Bound—Main Line	
No. 9—Leave	4:25 a. m.
No. 5—Leave	12:45 p. m.
No. 11—Leave	5:05 p. m.
No. 15—Leave	7:45 p. m.
No. 19—Leave	9:25 p. m.
Lexington Branch	
No. 655—Daily ex. Sun. lv.	5:10 a. m.
No. 656—Daily ex. Sun. ar.	2:00 p. m.
Warsaw Branch	
No. 657—Daily ex. Sun. lv.	5:30 a. m.
No. 658—Daily ex. Sun. ar.	12:30 p. m.

MISSOURI PACIFIC BUS LINES
East Bound

No. 8—Leave	3:25 p. m.
No. 10—Leave	6:30 p. m.
No. 6—Leave	11:10 a. m.
No. 112—Leave	2:45 a. m.
West Bound	
No. 3—Leave	4:45 a. m.
No. 5—Leave	8:00 a. m.
No. 1—Leave	1:15 p. m.
No. 9—Leave	6:30 p. m.
No. 133—Leave	9:15 p. m.

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4:30	9:45	Lv. Sedalia	Ar. 11:15	5:30
4:50	10:05	Cole Camp Jct.	10:45	5:05
5:10	10:15	Lincoln	10:35	4:50
5:30	10:45	Warsaw	10:15	4:20
5:45	11:00	Fristoe	9:50	3:50
5:55	11:10	Cross Timbers	9:35	3:40
6:10	11:20	Preston	9:20	3:30
6:25	11:30	Urbana	9:05	3:10
6:40	11:40	Louisburg	8:55	2:55
6:50	11:50	Buffalo	8:35	2:35
7:05	12:10	Fair Grove	8:00	2:15
7:35	12:45	Springfield	Lv. 7:30	1:45
8:00	1:15	Ar.		

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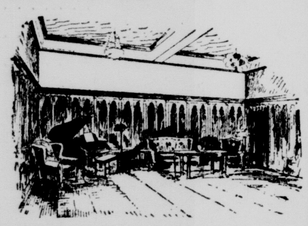

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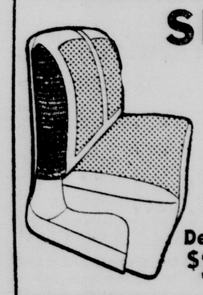

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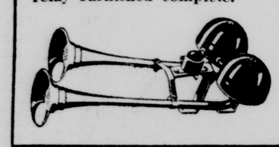

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LaMonte Items

(By Miss Elsie Smiley)

Mrs. Norman Lovan of Windsor, and Misses Eileen Clingan, Scottie Clingan and Clair Clingan of Tupelo, Miss., visited Sunday afternoon with their uncle, C. L. Clingan and Mrs. Clingan.

Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough returned Sunday from Mount Lebanon where she had been visiting since Thursday with her son, Albert Van Buskirk and family. A 10 pound son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buskirk last Thursday. He has been given the name of Daniel Lewis. Mrs. Hansbrough's niece, Mrs. Orville Hayes of Sweet Springs, returned home with her for a week's visit.

Mrs. Lena Rogers was given a surprise Sunday when a number of relatives and friends gatered at the home of her mother, Mrs. Riley Landes south of town, to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. George Landes of Hughesville, an uncle of Mrs. Rogers, whose birthday was three days later was also an honor guest. All contributed to the bountiful dinner which was served at noon. Those present other than those honored were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ream and children, Jim, Bob, Betty and Tommy of Hughesville; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harvey and children, Annie Barbara and George of Longwood; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wolfe and son, Glenn, of Clinton; Mrs. Etta Reavis, Mrs. Riley Landes, Mrs. Esther Olney, Mrs. Mary Patton, Miss Ethel Bobbitt and Miss Sarah Carpenter; Messrs. Walter Carpenter, George Landes and E. R. Hall.

A reunion of the Whitehead family was held Sunday at Liberty park in Sedalia in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitehead and sons, Eldon and Walter, of Walla Walla, Wash., who arrived Saturday for a visit with relatives, the first visit they have made here since they left about thirteen years ago. Those enjoying the basket dinner at noon, other than the honor guests were Mrs. Nannie Cronin of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Viets and little son, Eddie Lee of Houstonia; Mrs. F. B. Eckles and daughters, Caryl Dee, Frances, Betty Jo, and Doris and sons, Clifford, Robert, Warney, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whitehead and son, Paul, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Lyne and little son, G. W., J. L. Whitehead, C. A. Whitehead, Miss Velma Sinclair and Miss Opal Sinclair

Mrs. Georgia Fell and son, Jimmy of Kansas City, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Moore.

The Boy Scouts of La Monte, Oak Point and Dresden are enjoying an outing this week at the cabin of Bon Burk, 17 miles southeast of Warsaw. A few of the boys went Saturday and the remainder on Sunday. They returned Thursday. Mr. Burk, Paul Moore, Sylvan Crole, Kenneth Rogers and Charles Staples accompanied them. Dale Clingan and Ernest Jackson spent Sunday evening at the camp and P. S. Craig and I. A. Cross visited the boys Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Olson of Kansas City visited during the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hull. They left Monday on a two weeks' vacation trip to points of interest in Colorado.

A marriage which has been kept secret until recently is that of Joe Burke, a barber of La Monte and Miss Helen Hughes of Warrensburg, which took place on the evening of April 6, in Carrollton. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Adams of near Knob Noster. Mrs. Burke is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hughes of Warrensburg and is a graduate of the high school in that city. Mr. Burke is a son of Mrs. E. P. Burke. He is a graduate of La Monte high school and has been operating a barber shop here for several years. The young people have not as yet commenced housekeeping. Mrs. Burke spent the week-end here with Mr. Burke's mother and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Fox and daughter, Phyllis were guests last Friday of Rev. and Mrs. William Crabtree.

The annual ice cream social of the Cemetery Association was held Thursday evening, August 19 on the Catholic church lawn. The free picture show was given there this week instead of on the street in the business section.

Kenneth Morrow of Marceline, called at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. H. Smiley went to Houstonia Sunday for a visit with her son, Wallace Smiley and sister, Mrs. W. C. Westbrook.

Miss Maurine Wagner went to Kansas City Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Craig and son, Gerald of Lebanon, visited Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Craig.

John Ross, who had been a patient for a week in University hospital, Columbia, with infantile paralysis, was dismissed Saturday and brought to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ross, south of town in B. F. Parker's ambulance. He is getting along as well as could be expected.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Schenk and niece, Betty Virginia Hintz of Ardmore, Okla., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Schenk. Mrs. Schenk attended the summer term at a teachers' college in Greeley, Colo.

Mrs. E. W. Schenk visited Mrs. L. H. Schenk Tuesday and Wednesday. They spent Wednesday with Mrs. Mary French north of town.

Miss Lucille Parker left last Friday for Dayton, Ohio, after a vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Parker.

Irwin Lehmer left last Friday for a week's visit with relatives at Norfolk, Neb. He was accompanied by Ralph Peterson.

Mrs. Jack Harrison was severely cut on the face and head Wednesday morning when a car in which she was riding with Mr. Harrison, collided with one owned by Roy Janney and driven by Miss Mary Katherine Ramer, on a corner near the Chester Drake farm east of town. Mrs. Harrison was thrown through the windshield. She was brought to La Monte where Dr. W. E. Walker dressed her injuries, which required several stitches to be taken, also those of Herbert Frakey who was riding in the Janney car and received a deep wound on the head. Mrs. Janney who was also in the car was thrown against the top of the car and other than some bruises on her head was not injured. Miss Ramer and Mr. Harrison also escaped. The Harrison car was considerably damaged.

An achievement day program and style show was held Wednesday afternoon at the city hall by the Stitch Away 4-H club. Miss Marie Eubank has been the leader and Mrs. G. L. Cook assistant. The work completed by the girls was on display and was judged by Mrs. E. B. Allen, Mrs. Glenn Loman and Mrs. Lena Rogers. The awards were as follows: Best dress, Mae Cook, 1st; Laurabel Burk, 2nd; Ruth Elaine Price, 3rd. Best slip: Shirley Jeane Wimer, 1st; Melva Rose Keller, 2nd; Ruby Scott, 3rd. Best laundry bag: Shirley Jeane Wimer, 1st; Melva Rose Keller, 2nd; Laurabel Burk, 3rd. Appearance of dress when worn in the style show: Shirley Jeane Wimer, 1st; Mary Lou Scott, 2nd; Melva Rose Keller, 3rd. The following program was presented: History of club, Ruby Scott; piano solo, Mary Elizabeth Wellman; recitation, Mary Lou Scott; piano solo, Shirley Jeane Wimer. Refreshments were served at the close of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carr and son, Dick and Mr. Carr's father, Robert Carr, of Kansas City, arrived Wednesday for a visit with his aunt, Mrs. S. B. Metts and cousins, Mrs. Lyman Wharton and Mrs. D. F. Wasson.

Warsaw Items

(By Josephine J. Crawford)

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Jamison and daughter, Mrs. Fletcher Bell and her four children arrived Sunday from Fort Smith, Ark., to visit her sister, Mrs. C. C. McCarty and Mr. McCarty and family.

Mrs. W. C. Gross of St. Louis came last Friday for a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Emil Heibner. Miss Miriam Freeman who visited in St. Louis last week returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Elliston had as their guests last week her sister, Miss Grace Callahan and her friend, Miss Ollie Orr of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brady, Mrs. Fannie Sands and Miss Martha Sands of Kansas City left Saturday for Belton, Texas, to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Hayes and Mr. Hayes and family. Gene Brady who has spent the summer in the Hayes home will return home with them.

Miss Maude Jennison of Latham is visiting here this week with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Newkirk and Mr. Newkirk.

Mrs. F. W. Kirby of Dadeville and her grandson, Quinten Dunnaway of Visalia, Calif., were week end guests here of her daughter, Mrs. O. V. Singleton and Mr. Singleton and family.

Mrs. G. S. Kirby and daughters, Geraldine and Louise are spending this week in Jefferson City with Dr. Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin and Miss Louise Sweeney motored to Conway Sunday and were guests of Miss Sweeney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lurke and daughters, Margaret, Mary Jean and Jo Ann of Perryville visited here Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Wm. Hirsch and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hirsch.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Huse and children, Mary Margaret and William Jason Huse of Tulsa, Okla., came the last of the week to visit his mother, Mrs. Jennie Huse and brother, George Huse.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hammond of near Sedalia, her sisters and niece, Mrs. B. H. Horner and Mrs. Homer Horner of Henrietta, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Downs and Mrs. Cloyd Downs of near Cole Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Downs visited near Eldorado Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Downs.

Kenneth Ebb who has visited here the past six weeks with his sister, Mrs. V. A. Lundquist and Mr. Lundquist returned to his home Thursday at Swedesburg, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. Lundquist took him home and visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. O. N. Ebb.

John Drake, Jr., after a three weeks visit here with his aunt, Mrs. J. A. Smith and Dr. Smith returned to his home in Kansas City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Drake were dinner guests Sunday of her sister, Mrs. G. G. Williams and Mr. Williams and family at Ionia. Other guests were Mrs. Anna Martin, Miss Ethel Martin of Cedar Rapids, Ia., and John Drake, Jr., of Kansas City, Miss Ethel Martin returned to her home at Cedar Rapids Sunday afternoon after spending her vacation here.

Misses Maude and Leona Hirsch and nieces Kathleen and Loretta Hirsch, all of Jefferson City and Miss Byron McDonough of Wichita, Kas., visited here over the week end with their mother, Mrs. Wm. Hirsch. Other dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hirsch and daughter, Mary Pat and Misses Margaret Mary and Josephine Hirsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams of Brush, Colo., Tom Williams of Cross Timbers and Mrs. Lester Williams of Springfield visited here last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Kirby. Mrs. Claude Williams will be remembered as Miss Effie Salley.

Miss Opal Teeter, a student in nurse's training in Kansas City came Tuesday for a three weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Teeter.

Clyde McCarty, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCarty was elected as bookkeeper of the Community Bank. Mr. Herbert Reimenschnitter, who was assistant cashier, resigned to accept a position in Jefferson City. Clyde, Jr., is a graduate of Warsaw high school and has had two years of work at William Jewell college, Liberty.

Gene Bibb spent the week end in Kansas City with Mrs. Bibb who is employed by the Dens Oil Company.

Mrs. Anna Martin of Lincoln is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Drake and Mr. Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Petts visited Sunday afternoon near Windsor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Rochelle Hunt and family. They were accompanied home by Betty Lou Hunt for a week's visit.

Mac Wright visited last week with his aunts, Mrs. Virgil Crain and Mr. Crain at Garnett, Kas., and with Mrs. Frank Brown and Mr. Brown and Frank, Jr., at Kincaid, Kas. Frank, Jr., accompanied him home for a visit.

Mrs. Raymond Smith of near Cole Camp visited here Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Riddle.

Mrs. Mildred Gover Nixon visited in Marshall last week end also at Green Ridge with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Close and Mr. Close. Mr. and Mrs. Close brought her home last Friday and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Freeman.

Miss Genevieve Drake began her school Monday at the Neece District in the Cross Timbers consolidated district.

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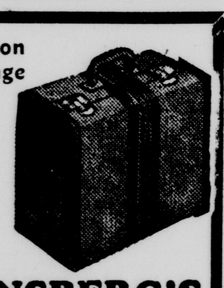

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SURGING CHINESE DRIVE TO DIVIDE FORCES OF FOE

Determined Onslaught at Shanghai For Wedge In Japanese Ranks

NIPPONESE PUSHED BACK NEAR RIVER

President Hoover In Record Run To Evacuate More Americans

BY MORRIS J. HARRIS

SHANGHAI, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Japan's heavily reinforced army was in imminent danger of being split in two and driven back into the Whangpoo river tonight by a surging Chinese drive.

After fighting off a full day of repeated Japanese stab attacks the Chinese thrust a powerful wedge into the broken Japanese lines, pushing their foe to within 500 yards of the murky river.

The Japanese positions were shattered just a mile below the Astor House hotel in the heart of the Japanese area of the international settlement.

With the water at their backs the Japanese were battling hard to keep from being cut in two. Tanks and armored cars were rushed into the area to bolster the Japanese bluejackets who were slowly but relentlessly being forced to give ground.

The Chinese thrust came amid Japan's first major offensive, in the Kiangwan area of North Shanghai where Shanghai's great civic center is located There, the Chinese apparently were holding their own against Japanese infantry, artillery, naval and air attacks.

Heavy reinforcements of regular army troops from Japan heartened the attackers in this sector. Seven transport loads of men, munitions and artillery were landed at the Yangtzepoo docks in the Japanese sector of the International settlement; sixteen Japanese troop ships, carrying 20,000 men, lay off the mouth of the Yangtze, ready to disembark their fighters under the guns of Japanese destroyers.

The Japanese sought to cut off the Chinese in Shanghai from help from the Yangtze, to the north. There were reports that 800,000 Chinese were concentrated at Nanking, the capital up the Yangtze, to reinforce the more than 100,000 already fighting about 25,000 Japanese bluejackets there.

Bombs Miss Mark

Japanese air bombs missed their mark and smashed at the American Southern Baptist Mission in the Chapei quarter in North Shanghai and at the American Mission hospital at Nantungchow, up the Yangtze in Kiangsu province. The mission suffered heavily, and the fate of its 20 Americans was not known. The bombs apparently were aimed at a power house.

The international radio station at Chenju, near Shanghai, also was air-bombed, without important damage.

American consular authorities took a firm stand against a Japanese naval plan to take complete control of the river Whngpoo, by which foreigners must be evacuated to the sea.

From North China came word of a Japanese advance 5 miles up Nankow Pass, the gateway to Chinese provinces Japan has not conquered.

In the south, a cholera epidemic spread in the British crown colony of Hongkong.

United States Consul General Clarence F. Gauss decisively told Japanese naval authorities traffic between Shanghai and Woosung—the gateway to the sea and safety for thousands of Americans—must be absolutely unrestricted.

As the Japanese started their offensive Vice Admiral Kiyoshi Hasegawa, commander-in-chief of the Japanese fleet operating against Shanghai, notified the American authorities the Japanese navy wished to restrict traffic on the Whangpoo river over which almost 1,000 Americans have been evacuated.

Gauss replied immediately such action could not be countenanced. Other foreign authorities were understood to have taken a similar stand.

Americans Safe

The American consulate learned that Japanese planes had bombed the American Mission hospital school and one American residence at Natungchow, up the Yangtze river in Kiangsu province, August 17. All Americans were safe, according to information reaching the American consulate here.

Just after noon the Japanese army, with reinforcements from Japan landed in the morning, launched an offensive against the Chinese lines linking strategic Kiangwan with the Woosung forts. It was the first time regular troops of the Japanese army had entered the fighting.

The Japanese announced their drive was making "satisfactory" progress and their lines had been pushed forward several thousand yards north of the American Shanghai university. One Japanese report said the Chinese were fleeing.

PROPOSES TRUCE IN SHANGHAI BATTLE

PARIS, Aug. 19.—France joined Great Britain today in proposing an immediate truce in the disastrous battle between China and Japan which is endangering thousands of foreigners at Shanghai.

The foreign ministry, upon receipt of the British suggestion, at once dispatched a note of approval to London.

It was understood China and Japan would be asked to abandon their Shanghai lines and leave England, France and the United States to safeguard the interests of the warring nations.

TAX PLAYGROUNDS AT SMITH-COTTON ATHLETIC FIELD

Donald Davenport Tells Kiwanians of Summer Activities There

Playground activity has almost taxed the capacity of the accomodations at Smith-Cotton high school this summer, according to Don Davenport, athletic coach, who has been devoting considerable supervision time to this program. In a talk before Sedalia Kiwanis club in Hotel Bothwell this noon he revealed that 24 sacks of lime had been used on the tennis courts and five nets worn out. The daily attendance is close to 150.

Volley ball and soft ball has also had a big following. The speaker urged that some consideration be given to the promotion of dramatics and art or hand work for those children who are not interested in athletic games.

Children from East Sedalia are the biggest patrons of the playgrounds. With increased interest in supervised play, Mr. Davenport pointed out, there will be need of extension of playgrounds in Sedalia and more supervision.

Boys on the Junior softball teams have developed keen competition and have been rewarded trips to Marshall to play winning teams of that town.

Speaking of the senior softball program of which Mr. Davenport is district commissioner, he said that in this area (Central Missouri) about 150 players are active in addition to hundreds of fans who follow the teams to see them play night games. Friday there will be a game to determine the Central Missouri representation in the state-wide contest at St. Joseph. The speaker thanked the Kiwanis club for the support it had given the soft ball activity.

Hugo Sparn, program chairman, who introduced the speaker, made a short talk concerning the high school football team and suggested civic clubs unite to provide the team with hoods for protection from weather. The matter was referred favorably to the Public Affairs committee.

Paul Hedderich received a six-order lubrication credit from John Ryan of Thompson Chevrolet Co., in the attendance booster program.

Kiwanians were delighted with a musical program provided by J. T. Alexander who appeared in the role of acrobatic fiddler; also entertaining selections provided by Mildred "Happy" Moser playing her saxophone accompanied at the piano by her mother, Mrs. Glenn Moser.

MAN KILLS WIFE AND THEIR THREE SMALL CHILDREN

HUTCHINSON, Kas., Aug. 19—(AP)—Mrs. Eugene Paul Warner and her three children were found hacked to death today and her husband, taken into custody, was quoted by County Attorney Wesley E. Brown as saying: "I guess I just went haywire."

Brown said Warner, a 31-year-old oil company employe, told him he struck them with a double-bladed axe and then attempted to take his own life by letting the weapon fall on his head five times.

The prosecutor related Warner told him he arose at 6:30 a. m. and walked into his wife's room, killing her and then his 21-month-old daughter, Adeline, who was sleeping with her mother.

Then, Brown said, he went into the other bedroom and killed his son, Billy, eight and another daughter Elizabeth Ann, three.

"There was no reason," Brown quoted Warner as saying. "My wife and I never quarreled."

Brown asserted, however, that he had been told by Clyde Yates, a friend of Warner's, that only last Tuesday Mrs. Warner had said, in the presence of her husband, that he had threatened to kill her and the three children.

Yates told Brown Warner had made no attempt to deny the ac-

PORTUGUESE IN A RUPTURE WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Sever Diplomatic Relations Over Unfilled Order For Arms

DISCORD DUE TO SPANISH STRIFE

Extent of The Breach Cannot Yet Be Evaluated Reports State

By The Associated Press.

LISBON, Aug. 19.—An authoritarian Portuguese government announced formally today it had severed diplomatic relations with the Republic of Czechoslovakia over an unfilled order of machine guns.

At the same time Portugal accused Czechoslovakia of yielding to the "influences and pressure" of an unidentified "third party" in blocking fulfillment of the arms order.

The newspaper Diaria De Noticias promptly declared, in interpretation of the move, that Czechoslovakia had received "instructions from an eastern power not to supply arms to a country which was a sure gurantee against a Communist Iberian peninsula."

In the same comment, the newspaper declared "Czechoslovakia is the Russian stronghold in Central Europe and perhaps the Soviets' largest air base."

The official Portuguese communique bluntly attributed the Praha government's reluctance to permit a Czechoslovakian armament firm to supply a large order of machine guns to Portugal to Portugal's attitude on the civil war raging within her neighbor state, Spain.

Portugal, governed by a Fascist-inclined premier, Dr. Antonia De Oliveria Salazar, lies at the backdoor of the Spanish territory controlled by the insurgent leader, Francisco Franco, and several weeks ago wiped out the international patrol of her frontier against arms and soldiers bound for Spain.

At Moscow, Soviet officials deferred comment pending full information on the Lisbon charge of "third party influence."

Any suggestion that Russia might be the "third party" was denied unofficially.

London observers pointed out the rupture stood today as Europe's first official "outside" break resulting from the Spanish war.

Authorities recalled that Portugal, Italy and Germany severed diplomatic relations with the Madrid-Valencia government of Spain last fall; but this remained the first case of rupture between two countries, neither of which was a party to the Spanish war.

The extent to which the breach could be regarded as a recurrence of the threat of general European war through the Spanish conflict had not yet been evaluated. The distance between Portugal and Czechoslovakia minimized the possibility of direct hostilities, in any case.

Astonishment Voiced

PRAHA, Czechoslovakia, Aug. 19.—The Czechoslovakian government today voiced astonishment over the Portuguese decision to break diplomatic relations because of a munitions dispute

The foreign office issued a communique asserting "no political or diplomatic conflicts have existed or now exist between Czechoslovakia and Portugal.

"It is, therefore, unprecedented in the history of international relations that failure of business negotiations should have led to this formal and unilateral breaking of diplomatic relations."

The communique explained that the Portuguese government sometime ago negotiated with a Czechoslovakian arms concern for delivery of a certain type of weapon. When it developed this concern could not fill the order—the plant operating to capacity production on a Czechoslovakian government order—the Portuguese government was offered a different type of weapon. This was refused.

The upshot was the withdrawal of the Portuguese minister.

The Czechoslovakian minister is remaining at his Lisbon post.

Due to Spanish Strife

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Portugal's rupture of diplomatic relations with Czechoslovakia stood today as Europe's first official "outside" break resulting from the Spanish war.

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"Reserving opinion for the present," Czechoslovakian quarters here hinted that Lisbon's action—if irrevocable—was based probably on "irresponsible propaganda about Czechoslovakian connections with the Soviet union."

CHARGE POSSESSION OF UNTAXED LIQUOR

Carl Johnson, residing on East Boonville street, near the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad crossing, was arrested Thursday morning by George Craig of the United States Internal Revenue Department, Dallas Grose, of the state liquor control department, and Constable Forrest Poindexter, at his home after ten gallons of alleged corn whisky, unlicensed by either the government or state had been found.

According to Craig and Grose the place had been raided several times recently but the officers were unable to locate any liquor.

This morning when the officers went to the place they made an extensive search without results While Craig and Grose were searching some out-buildings, Constable Poindexter remained in the home with Johnson, and he noticed that Johnson kept watching a room in the northeast corner of the dwelling.

When Grose and Craig returned Officer Poindexter told them of noticing Johnson's actions. They searched the room but were unable to find anything. They then measured a clothes closet and noticed there was about two and a half feet difference in the size of the closet and the measurements of the room.

The officers then took a screw driver and pried in the closet with the result a false wall came out revealing the hidden liquor.

Craig and Grose took Johnson to Jefferson City where he will appear before Miss Edna Morris, deputy United States commissioner, on charges of possessing whisky not licensed by law.

STATE BOARD TO CALL FOR NEW BIDS ON BONDS

Decision Reached After Conference of Officials

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 19. — The state board of fund commissioners decided late Wednesday to ask for new bids on the $3,000,000 issue of state buildings loans with a stipulation a $150,000 premium be offered.

This decision was reached after Governor Lloyd C. Stark and other state officials discussed at length the private sale of the bonds last month which critics said resulted in a loss of $50,000 to the state.

The bonds had been sold July 20 in Stark's absence to Baum Bernheimer and Co., of Kansas City for a premium of $100,000.

New bids for the bonds will be received by the fund board at 9 a. m. Saturday in the office of Governor Stark, chairman of the board.

In a statement made public late today, the fund board said:

"Since certain newspapers have charged that the state would have received a premium of $150,000 nad these building bonds been sold at public sale, the members of the state fund board have fixed Saturday, Aug. 21,1937, at 9 a. m. in the governor's office in the state capitol , as the time and place the board will be in session and invite any financially responsible purchaser to appear with bids setting forth in writing under the signature of the writer that the individual, firm or corporation signing the letter will, if a resale of the bonds is made by advertisement and competive bids therefore, bid the sum of $150,000 premium for the state building bonds as of July 20, 1937, plus an increase in the bond market between that date, July 20, 1937, and Saturday, Aug. 21, 1937, when said bids are submitted, and that if the bid is accepted by the board of fund commissioners the bidder will immediately pay over to the state the purchose price plus such premium above mentioned, regardless of any legal conditions surrounding the transaction with Baum, Bernheimer and company or any other bond house concerning these bonds, which are now ready for signature and immediate delivery."

COMMISSION TO SENATOR `LACK

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19—Senator Hugo L Black received from the hands of President Roosevelt today his commission as an associate justice of the supreme court.

The 51-year-old Alabaman, dressed in a white summer suit left a White House luncheon conference with the President carrying the commission in a cardboard container.

He said he had not decided when, or where, he would take the constitutional oath.

He added, however, he believed he would take the oath late today or tomorrow.

He said he would resign from the senate at about the time he was sworn.

He said he talked with Governor Graves of Alabama for about five minutes today but would not say whether his successor as senator was discussed.

He expressed belief, in response to a question, that the court petition to prevent his assuming the bench, filed yesterday by Albert Levitt, former federal judge would have no effect on his taking his new office.

Black remained with the President more than an hour and a half.

Secretary Ickes, who was waiting to discuss public works matter, with the President was present when the the commission was delivered.

SENATE PASSES CHILD LABOR BILL

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19. — The senate passed the Wheeler-Johnson child labor bill by unanimous consent today and sent it to the house.

The measure would prohibit interstate commerce in goods made by children under 16 years of age, and in the case of hazardous industries under 18.

The same language was incorporated in the wage and hour bill which passed the senate, but the senate passed the separate measure today when Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont) suggested that action might result in approval of that part of the wage-hour measure at this session of congress.

The wage-hour bill has been shelved for the session.

Besides prohibiting shipment of child labor goods in interstate commerce, the Wheeler-Johnson bill would prohibit shipment of such goods into any state in violation of its laws. It would require labelling of merchandise made by children.

Killed as Truck Overturns

DONIPHAN, Mo., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Miss Arlene Morris, 21, was instantly killed and Luther McGorigal, a truck driver, suffered severe injuries when the truck they occupied skidded and turned over near here late yesterday. Fifty railroad ties, loaded on the truck, crushed the cabin in which the two were riding.

INSURGENTS ARE DRAWING NEARER TO SANTANDER

In Advance Overcome Outlying Defenses—In 20 Miles of Goal

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier, Aug. 19.—The Spanish insurgent high command asserted today that Santander's outlying defense, to the southwest of the Biscayan seaport had "melted away" while the insurgent attackers ploughed to within 20 miles of their goal.

The five-day push toward Santander, the government's last city stronghold on the Bay of Biscay, was estimated to have brought capture of 10,000 of the stubborn defenders.

The insurgent column on the Palencia road to Santander, twin of the force operating on the parallel Burgos road to the east, alone has taken 4,700 prisoners. Many of the captured warriors were placed in concentration camps south of Reinosa.

The Palencia road advance guard was reported by the insurgent communique to have taken positions dominating the village of Las Fraguas only a short distance north of Las Arenas, which fell to their drive yesterday.

Franco's field commanders installed garrisons in the many mountainland villages caught in the broad sweep of his two-pronged northward drive and left cleanup operations to second line troops.

Government reports acknowledged the insurgent gains, in part, but declared the Santander troops, bolstered by detachments of dynamite-throwing miners from Asturias, were putting up a heroic resistance.

A government communique said the Italian flag had been planted on Alto Del Escudo, near the Escido mountain pass on the Burgos road already taken by the attackers. The government has described the insurgent force as built around the Italian "Black Arrow" brigade.

In the San Pedro Del Romeral sector on the Burgos road, about 20 miles from Santander, the government troops staged a brilliant counter-attack and reoccupied positions near Val De Flores, Zarbosa and Cruz Del Marquez, the Madrid-Valencia communique asserted.

WILKINS TO JOIN SEARCH FOR FLIERS

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—A huge flying boat equipped for Arctic operations left Long Island Sound at 11:40 a. m. (EST) today on the first leg of a flight which will carry Sir Hubert Wilkins, the explorer, into the far North to aid in the search for six missing Soviet trans-Polar aviators

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—A new expedition, headed by Sir Hubert Wilkins, veteran Arctic and Antarctic explorer, prepared to wing northward today in search of the six missing Soviet trans-Polar fliers.

SENATE PASSES BILL FOR PLUGGING TAX LOOPHOLES

Back To The House For Considering Minor Amendments

STUDY POSSIBLE SURTAX BOOST

Treasury Working Out Plan To Submit To Tax Experts

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19. — The senate passed today the administration's tax avoidance bill, designed to plug loopholes through which the government has lost about $100,000,000 revenue annually.

Approved after a brief and almost perfunctory debate, the non-controversial measure was returned to the house for consideration of minor senate amendments.

Chairman Harrison (D-Miss) of the senate finance committee told his colleagues the legislation would check the use of personal holding companies, foreign corporations, multiple trusts, and incorporation of personal talents to avoid income tax liability.

It was drafted at the President's request, after a joint congressional commiteee had investigated scores of corporate devices used to escape taxation.

The bill was adopted without a record vote a few minutes after the senate convened. A single provision was questioned.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) offered an amendment to direct the joint congressional committee on taxation to make a study of federal, state and local tax systems, with a view to eliminating duplications and discovering new sources of revenue.

He withdrew it, however, when Harrison explained that such a study already was under way, and that the committee had made its preliminary report.

Consider Rates Hike

The treasury is exploring the revenue-raising possibilities of a boost in income surtax rates in individuals, officials disclosed today.

The surtaxes now range from 4 per cent of net incomes between $4,000 and $6,000 to 75 per cent of net incomes over $5,000,000.

Officials said it has not been determined how much these rates could be raised, or at what income bracket the increases might start.

The treasury has been working out long-range recommendations for revamping the tax schedule since last spring for transmission to congressional tax experts by November. This study has been separate from that which developed the loophole-plugging legislation in the current session.

Officials said the suggested changes will be designed to bolster federal revenues to the point at which the treasury could roll up its first surplus since 1930 in the next fiscal year. The government then could begin paring down the $36,900,000,000 public debt, they said.

Authorities predicted changes will be recommended by the treasury in the controversial undistributed profits tax on corporations, but declined to say how extensive these may be.

LIMITATIONS ON U. S. CRAFT REJECTED

By The Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 19. — United States authorities today firmly rejected both Japanese and Chinese attempts to interfere with movements of American naval or merchant craft on the Whangpoo river, avenue of escape for Americans or others seeking to flee from embattled Shanghai

American officials indicated they would refuse to accept a Chinese government notification, compliance with which would mean moving the cruiser Augusta, flagship of the United States Asiatic fleet, out of Shanghai harbor.

A Japanese naval attempt to restrict traffic on the river met with a decisive message from Clarence E Gauss, United States consul-general, that traffic between Shanghai and the sea must be absolutely unimpeded

Other foreign consuls were understood to have made the same reply to a notification from Vice-Admiral Kiyoshi Kasegawa, commander-in-chief of Japanese naval forces here, of a desire to impose limitations on traffic on the Whangpoo, along which the most bitter fighting of the Sino-Japanese conflict has raged for days.

WORKER IS KILLED BY A FALLING TREE

By The Associated Press.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Aug 19.—Warning Pete Suder, his employer, to get out of the way, Richard Yanko, 58, today dislodged a tree which had split off 10 feet above the ground after the two men had cut it down. The tree turned over as it fell, a limb striking Yanko. He died 40 minutes later of internal hemorrhage.

PUBLIC DEBT AT A RECORD PEAK

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The public debt reached a new record peak of $36,891,415,047 August 17.

A treasury report showed today this figure compared with $33,410,689 on the corresponding date last year.

August 17, government expenditures stood at $1,006,426,644, compared with $770,901,000 on the same date a year ago.

The rise in expenditures this year is traceable largely to a sharp falling off in repayments to government lending agencies.

GOVERNOR'S WIFE NAMED A UNITED STATES SENATOR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29—(AP)—Governor Bibb Graves of Alabama appointed his wife, Dixie Bibb Graves, today to succeed Hugo L. Black as senator from Alabama.

The governor announced Mrs. Graves' appointment immediately after Black tendered his resignation from the senate.

Mrs. Graves will serve only temporarily. The governor called a special election for next April 26 to name a senator to fill Black's unexpired term, which ends in January, 1939.

He said Mrs. Graves would not be a candidate, and that the Alabama constitution barred him from the race.

The state Democratic committee, he said, will call a special primary some time after February 1 to nominate a candidate for the April 26 election.

Graves said that immediately after the primary he would appoint the Democratic nominee to the senate to succeed Mrs. Graves.

Senator John H. Bankhead, who became Alabama's senior senator with Black's resignation, said he would present Mrs. Graves' credentials to the senate tomorrow and ask that she be sworn in immediately.

The governor explained in a formal statement he wished to guard against giving any candidate the advantage of being the incumbent in next year's primary.

"In my judgment," the statement concluded, "Dixie Bibb Graves is in all respects best fitted to serve in this ad interim appointment and to carry out the policies above mentioned."

Mrs. Graves, 55 years old, is known in Alabama as an effective campaigner for her husband, although she has never been a candidate. She will be the fourth woman to serve in the senate, all of them from the south. Mrs. Hattie Caraway of Arkansas is the only one now serving.

The governor's choice of an election date opens the way for Alabama congressmen to seek the senate vacancy without resigning from the house. Five were considered likely candidates—Lister Hill, Frank W. Boykin, Henry B. Steagall, Joe Starnes and Sam Hobbs.

Nomination by the Democratic party in Alabama is tantamount to election.

The governor arrived here last night with Mrs. Graves to clear the way for her appointment.

Senators said efforts were made today by some persons to dissuade him from naming his wife. It was generally understood, however, the appointee would be sworn in without any strenuous objection in the senate.

The governor emphasized that a primary called this year would be unfair because approximately 100,000 voters had failed to pay their poll tax. This is an "off year" for elections.

Black resigned from the senate within a few hours after receiving from President Roosevelt his commission as a justice. He said he had not made any definite arrangements for taking an oath of office.

The presentation of the commission took place at a luncheon in the executive mansion.

All that remained to make Black a justice was to take the constitutional oath—and this he said he would do tomorrow. He did not say where, or before whom. An ordinary notary can administer the oath.

DEATH DUE TO CARBOLIC ACID

Marion Caton, a farmer near Ridge Prairie, about 44 years old, ended his life by drinking carbolic acid about noon Wednesday. No reason was given for the act except that he has been despondent on account of ill health.

Mr. Canton leaves a wife who before her marriage was Miss Bessie Alfrey; one daughter; Dorothy of Marshall; two sons, Buddy and Gene of the home; T. W. Canton, his father of Nelson; four brothers, Warner of Mt. Leonard, Huston and Dave of Marshall and Ireland of Kansas City; three sisters: Mrs. Tom Taylor of Pilot Grove, Mrs. John Martin and Mrs. Clarence Biggs of Ridge Prairie.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

HOUSING BILL IS PASSED BY 274 TO 86 IN HOUSE

Brings Waning Session of Congress Nearer To The End

EXPECT WINDUP ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Senate Bill as To Loans and Grants Drastically Changed

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—House passage of the $526,000,000 low cost housing program removed today the last big controversial feature of the waning congressional session.

The senate bill, authorizing federal loans and grants for state and municipal housing projects, was changed drastically by the house before it voted approval last night, 274 to 86.

As a result, a committee must adjust the differences in the house and senate versions before the bill can go to the White House. A wrangle was in prospect, but sponsors expressed certainty an agreement would be reached.

The housing program was the final measure on the Roosevelt program which Democratic leaders decided could be salvaged. Much of the administration legislation—crop control, wage-hour, and government reorganization—has been deferred to the next session.

The only important tasks remaining before adjournment, aside from the housing agreement, were senate passage of the bills to close tax law loopholes and to make $98,000,000 deficiency appropriations. Little opposition was in sight, strengthening predictions that the session would end Saturday night.

It took the house nine hours to debate the housing measure, which opponents—most Republicans and some Democrats—contended would aid the cities at the expense of rural sections. Sponsors quoted a provision that funds would be used wherever needed.

Provisions of Bill

In brief, the measure as passed by the house provides:

Loans to state and municipal agencies for developing low-rent housing or slum clearance projects, with communities putting up 15 per cent of construction costs. The senate fixed the amount at 5 per cent.

Capital grants up to 25 per cent of development costs. Annual subsidies, of which communities would contribute 25 per cent.

An initial appropriation of $26,000,000 and a $500,000,000 bond issue covering the next three years. The senate approved a $700,000,000 bond issue.

Limitation of cost to $5,000 a dwelling unit. The senate set a $4,000 limit, with a maximum of $1,000 a room.

Limitation of funds for one state to 10 per cent of the total. The senate figure was 20 per cent.

Democratic representatives will meet tonight to discuss the administration wage-hour bill, which the rules committee has blocked. A small group of members wants the party caucus to exert pressure on the committee to permit debate, but leaders predicted this would not be done.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19. — The house roared approval last night of a $526,000,000 program of federal aid to states and municipal low-cost housing projects.

Members were jubilant because passage of the measure cleared away a major barrier to adjournment of congress by Saturday.

Critics shot one amendment after another at the legislation. Almost without exception the house refused by lopsided votes to accept them.

But because house provisions departed drastically from those that won senate approval a fortnight ago, a further struggle lies ahead in a conference in which senators and representatives will attempt to reach a compromise.

In the midst of the give and take wrangle, a 97 to 59 standing vote killed a proposal by Representative Hancock (D.-N. C.) to impose a limit of $4,000 per dwelling unit or $1,000 per room on all housing projects.

Similar restrictions were incorporated by the senate. The house, however, accepted the decision of its banking committee that cost should be held down to the average for similar private construction and in no event exceed $5,00 per unit.

The senate approved without debate four amendments drafted by the finance committee. Trey are designed to:

1. Exempt oil and gas royalty companies from levies applicable to holding companies.

2. Permit deduction of "reasonable" sums for debt retirement from the taxable income of personal holding companies.

3. Avoid unnecessary expense and inconvenience in the filing of reports by multiple trusts.

4. Bring federal regulations on trusts in line with state laws governing capital increments.

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4-H MEMBERSHIP GROWS

One of the most hopeful signs for the future of agriculture, the Michigan Farmer points out, is that the enrollment in 4-H clubs passed the million mark for the first time, in 1936. Membership continues to increase.

The young men and women who join the 4-H will be the producers of tomorrow. In their club work, they are instructed in new methods and techniques that make it possible for the farmer to raise larger crops and earn a greater return. They are given an opportunity to develop qualities of leadership that will prove invaluable to them in the future—for example, in the agricultural cooperative movement which is constantly growing in size and economic and social significance. In brief, they are wisely making careers of farming.

INVARIABLE HEAT WAVE

Invariably there comes a heat wave that seems much worse than the thermometer suggests.

At such times there is a strong disposition evident on every hand to give the country back to the Indians. We Americans seem unable even to adjust ourselves to the arrival of hot summer. But we do adjust ourselves to its continuance. The second "heat wave" is usually more tolerable. And from then on the heat is taken for granted.

Each year finds us unprepared for our customary climate. But it is no less true that each year finds us a little better equipped to deal with it firmly. Every summer finds more refrigerators in use to insure healthful food, more air-conditioned stores and offices and homes, more electric fans to lower the "sensible temperature." And while the trend is fantastically slow, one can look back a hundred years or so and discern a slight betterment in men's summer clothing.

While a heat wave is in prospect it is not safe to discuss in detail the matter of styles in men's garb. The subject always arouses in us a deep and unreasoning passion. Obviously this is not a wholesome thing to invite when the "sensible temperature" is absurdly high. When another cool wave comes along we shall engage in a full exploration of the masculine folly of collars and ties.

WHEN SHOULD POLICE SHOOT

From the Toronto Daily Star.

A Toronto citizen attempting to overtake an alleged car thief was seriously wounded—wounded, it is said, by a police bullet intended to halt the fleeing man.

This brings up once more the whole question of the use of firearms by the police. Should a supposed car thief be fired upon when attempting to escape? We think not. Police guns should be for defense against dangerous criminals, not for use when some minor offender is running like a scared rabbit.

The Star has no desire to prejudge the present case, but it calls for a thorough investigation, and, if the investigation warrants it, a court trial. United States police methods are not good enough for Canada, either with respect to the too-free use of weapons, the "sweating" of accused persons or the breaking of the law by rushing "distinguished visitors" through the streets.

Lake Mead, created by Boulder dam, Colorado, is more than 100 miles long. On its shores the federal government is developing one of the largest recreational areas in the United States.

SLOGANS IN MIDDLETOWN

Communists have slogans as well as nations or advertisers of football teams. It is about an even chance whether these slogans do more good than harm.

In their widely acclaimed book, Middletown in Transition, Robert S. and Helen M. Lynd cite some expressions, commonly used, but dangerous because they spell civic stagnation. Typical is the thought "Our community is up to the average," "We're as good as most," "We're no worse than other cities of our size."

Such views embody a great degree of self-contentment and tend to make citizens cheerful and optimistic. Nevertheless they are as dangerous for cities as for communities or for individuals because they may easily result in retardation if not in degeneration.

Another mark of civic stagnation points with pride to "how far we've come since—." The speaker then portrays how, only a few years ago, the school buildings were dark and dingy, cottage homes were unpainted, water stood in the streets.

The backward look may play us tricks. Surely there are wise and foolish ways to use the past, and one of the most foolish is to employ it to build false pride. More often than not, such resort to retrospection testifies to lack of forward vision and wise planning for the future.

MORE STUPID NAZI DIPLOMACY

Whatever Britain's foreign policy has been, no one in recent years could describe it as hot-headed or vengeful. The official British attitude toward Nazi Germany has been so tolerant, even submissive, that it is obvious, the St. Louis Post-Dispatch comments, that extreme provocation was required to bring about the drastic step of expelling three German journalists. Foreign correspondents in England are free to write as they please, so these writers' offenses must have been outside the journalistic sphere. Whether they were spies or were intimidating refugees in England, as variously reported, they had clearly forfeited the right to remain there.

The Nazis, of course, have retaliated. Their chosen victim for expulsion is Norman Ebbutt, chief correspondent of the London Times in Berlin for 10½ years. The Times has been scrupulous in its attitude toward the Nazis, and Mr. Ebbutt's dispatches have been models of objectivity. Berlin now asks that the Times send a correspondent "who will pay less attention to trivialities and concentrate more on the Third Reich's constructive work." The Times has indignantly refused to adapt itself to the Nazi censorship.

Again the stupid diplomacy of the Nazis is having its inning. Their journalist-agents in England have been caught in the act, and the best policy would have been to submit gracefully to their expulsion. Instead, the Nazis antagonize Britain's most powerful press organ and make a fresh display of their intolerant practices.

AMERICANS IN SHANGHAI

As the war within and above Shanghai grows more deadly, our government has taken the sensible step of ordering immediate evacuation of the 4,000 Americans living in the unfortunate city. Both sides have shown utter disregard for foreigners and other non-combatants. Orders for their protecetion may have been given, but they have largely gone unobserved.

Japan, the invader, must bear the guilt the St. Louis Post-Dispatch says, of carrying the war to this crowded commercial city of 3,500,000 people, some 500 miles from the zone where the renewed conquest of Chinese territory was launched. But Chinese flyers are responsible for one of the most horrible massacres in the annals of aerial warfare, when they dumped bombs on crowded sections of the city, including the International Settlement, and killed more than 800 persons, of whom some 40 were foreigners. Whether this tragedy was caused by bad marksmanship, impetuous judgment or accident, its causes should be definitely determined. Whatever the reason, Americans would be worse than foolhardy to remain where such episodes can occur and where all the rules of warfare are suspended.

Americans are a trading people; our nationals reside at every commercial point on the globe. We cannot keep them at home, nor can our military forces rush to their defense when danger threatens. It is fortunate that the State Department has acted promptly, and that enough vessels are available to take all Americans away from war-torn Shanghai.

E. B. GIBSON, ONE COUNTY'S OLDEST RESIDENTS, DIES

Passing of Once Extensive Land Owner at The Home of His Son

Edward B. Gibson, 91 years old, retired farmer and at one time one of the largest land owners in Pettis County, passed away at the home of his son, J. Clay Gibson, 1311 South Moniteau avenue, at 8:20 o'clock Sunday night following a lingering illness.

Mr. Gibson, a well known pioneer resident of Pettis County, was born in Upperville, Fauquier County, Vo., December 23, 1845, the son of the late Joseph and Marah (Jenkins) Gibson, native Virginians.

He was reared to manhood in Virginia and received his education there. He left his native State of Virginia in 1877 and arrived in Pettis county in April of that year, renting a farm five miles south of Houstonia. A few years later he purchased 450 acres from the late John Gregg and Henry Reese and began operating a farm on a large scale. He raised and fed cattle and became known as one of the largest cattle raisers in this section.

He continued to add to his farm and at one time owned 1,400 acres of land in Blackwater township. It was improved and became known as one of the most modern equipped farms in Central Missouri. He retired from active farming in 1904.

Former Bank President

Mr. Gibson was one of the charter members of the Houstonia, Mo., Bank and served as president of that institution for 45 years. He was a member of the Broadway Presbyterian church of this city.

Upon his retirement from active farming Mr. Gibson with his family moved to Sedalia to reside and made their home for many years at 400 West Fourth, where now stands the Elks Home.

Mr. Gibson was married in November 1883 to Miss Mary Gregg, daughter of the late Joseph and Martha Gregg. She passed away on July 12, 1914.

To this union were born three children, Miss Ethel Gibson, who passed away at an early age; Mrs. Edna May Goodloe, wife of G. Clay Goodloe of St. Louis, and Joseph Clay Gibson of the home in Sedalia. Also surviving is a sister, Miss Nellie Gibson of Upperville, Va., and a niece, Mrs. C. T. McConnell of Nevada. E. C. Gibson, a nephew and his grand-daughter Mrs. R. A. Black, Jr., both of St. Louis are here to attend the funeral.

FUNERAL OF MRS. WILKERSON HELD

The funeral of Mrs. Beedie Jane Wilkerson, who died Thursday at her home in Cole Camp, was held at the Union church at 10:30 o'clock Saturday, the Rev. Spurlock, of Clinton, officiating.

She was united in marriage to Robert T. Wilkerson in the year of 1876 at Camden County, Mo.

Her husband passed away March 25, 1924. She is survived by her two children, Mrs. B. F. Bryant of Cole Camp and Mrs. Charley Guin of Sedalia, also six grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Several years after her marriage she moved to Hannibal where they lived for several years after which they moved to Cole Camp where they lived the last twenty-five years with her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Bryant. She was baptized into the Christian church when a young girl and remained a member until 70 years old, after which she became a member of the Assembly of God church.

James Robert Sledge

James Robert Sledge, 88 years old, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. I. L. Robertson, 235 South Park avenue, about 3:50 o'clock Monday morning following an illness of about eight weeks.

Mr. Sledge was born May 11, 1849 in Jefferson County, Illinois. He was married July 4, 1870 to Miss Olie Harlan of Illinois, who passed away many years ago.

To this union were born five children two who survive: J. H. Sledge of Leroy, Illinois, and Mrs. C. E. Frisbie of Versailles. On June 16, 1886 he was married to Hattie Ann Phillips, who passed away April 19, 1924 and to this union were born six children, two who survive, J. A. Sledge of Clinton, and Mrs. Robertson with whom he has made his home for the past fourteen years.

Also surviving are twelve grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Mr. Sledge was a member of the Calvary Baptist church.

Mrs. Lulu A. Warren

Mrs. Lulu Angeline Warren, 64, wife of Colby D. Warren, died at her home, 900 South Grand, at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mrs. Warren was a daughter of the late R. M. and Marisa Scotten. She was married to C. D. Warren, April 1, 1894 at Green Gidge, Mo. To this union one child, Irene M. Warren, was born. Surviving besides here husband and daughter, are the following brothers and sisters:

John R. Scotten, Oklahoma City; Benjamin M. Scotten, Alliance, Neb., Peter V. William E. and Oscar M. Scotten, Sedalia; Mrs. Grace Berry Nelson, Kansas City; D. W. Scotten, Mrs. Kate E. Landis, J. Leonard Scotten and C. Foster Scotten, Sedalia.

For many years Mrs. Scotten was a faithful member of the First Christian church and for 16 years a teacher of the Happy Hour Class.

Charles C. Goetz

Word has been received here of the death of Charles C. Goetz, which occurred August 15th at a hospital in Smith Center, Kas.

Mr. Goetz was born January 29, 1876, at Lake Creek, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George L. Goetz. On June 11, 1901 he was married to Sarah Elizabeth Huffman who preceded him in death January 1, 1936. In 1905 he moved to Kirwin, Kas., where he has since resided.

Mr. Goetz is survived by two brothers and two sisters, Fred P. Goetz, Cole Camp; Edd Goetz, of Smithton; Mrs. Henry Semon, Stover, and Mrs. J. H. Hall of Sedalia, and J. E. Bertholf of Hastings, Neb., who was reared in the home.

G. M. Swopes

Gearry Monroe Swopes, 54 years old, passed away suddenly Monday morning at his home five miles north of Sedalia on Highway 65. Death was due to a heart ailment.

Mr. Swopes has been a resident of this county for the past twenty-two years.

Surviving is his widow Mrs. Bertha Swopes, four daughters, Mrs. Frank Schouten, Mrs. Rolla Wyatt, and Mrs. Fred Gordon of Houstonia, and Miss Thelma Swopes, two sons Junior and Dewey Swopes, all of the family home. One grandson, Jackie Lee Schouten, also survives.

Mr. Swopes was a member of the Presbyterian church in the Range Line neighborhood.

JUNIOR POLICE TO BE AT STATE FAIR

Captain Hugh Daugherty of the Sheffield police station in Kansas City, and Sergeant Fred Paul Dobbs, director of traffic of Kansas City, accompanied by Patrolman Kenneth "Smiling" Curran, were in Sedalia Monday on a brief visit in interest of the Kansas City Junior Police organization.

The officers met with Charles W Green, secretary of the Missouri State Fair relative to bringing the Junior Police to the Fair for St. Louis Day (Tuesday) and Kansas City Day (Wednesday) at which time they will give several demonstrations in drilling.

The organization, composed of under-privileged boys between the ages of 9 and 13 years, has at the present time 80 members, part of which are members of the drum and bugle corps and the other a drill team.

The group is sponsored by the Kansas City police department, under the supervision of City Manager Judge Henry F. McElroy, and Otto P. Higgins, director of police, while the directorship of the organization is under Captain Daugherty and Sergeant Dobbs.

Captain Daugherty announced that on Wednesday morning, August 25, about 11 o'clock, during the meeting of Sheriffs and Chiefs of Police to be held at the B. P. O. Elks Home, Fourth street and Kentucky avenue, the boys will be brought to Sedalia and will give several drills.

FUNERAL OF MISS AMES AT OTTERVILLE

Mrs. Stella Z. Ames, daughter of the late Captain and Mrs. A. L. Zollinger, died Wednesday at Nevada. She was born July 9, 1873, and was married to Herbert Ames, February 19, 1896. She lived in Boonville two years following her marriage to Mr. Ames, who was then sheriff of Cooper county. Mr. Ames died several years ago.

Surviving are one brother, Gus Zollinger, of Warrensburg and one sister, Mrs. A. L. Ferguson, Columbia.

Mrs. Ames joined the Christian church in 1890 while visiting relatives in Hagertown, Md., and later united with the M. E. church, South, at Otterville.

Funeral services were held at the grave, conducted by her pastor, the Rev. William Simpson and interment was in the Otterville cemetery.

The following friends served as pall bearers, W. G. Streit, J. E. Golladay, T. R. Cranmer, Frank Spencer, J. H. Gump and George W. Harlan.

ENTRIES LARGE FOR NIGHT HORSE SHOWS

A check of entries in the 1937 Missouri State Fair horse show last week revealed that a total of 199 box stalls have been requested by exhibitors, Secretary Charles W. Green announced Saturday. Up until last week, there were only 129 box stalls in the three light horse barns, leaving 70 of the requested stalls unavailable.

Workmen on the fair grounds are now building 22 new box stalls in the horse barns, and Secretary Green said 25 or 30 more, or as many as it may be possible to complete before the opening of the Fair, next Saturday, will be constructed.

Light horse entries received now represent the largest number of show horses to be exhibited in Missouri in a good many years, and in every livestock department, reservations for space have far exceeded the space available in the State Fair barns built for the purpose.

Four show horses which reached the fair grounds late Friday night from Beaumont, Texas, the consignment of Mrs. Hugh Wright, were the first to arrive at Sedalia for the 1937 horse show, opening in the Coliseum, Monday night, August 23.

READY TO RELEASE $5,800,000 FOR JOBLESS FUND

Will on Signature of Governor Swell Amount on Compensation

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 16.—Only President Roosevelt's signature was needed today for Missouri to receive an additional $5,800,000 for its unemployment compensation fund.

The amount represents the 0.9 per cent payroll tax collected from Missouri employers in 1936 before the state law was passed.

Release of this fund is provided in a bill sponsored in congress by Representative Richard M. Duncan of St. Joseph, and Senator Bennett C. Clark which was passed and sent to the President Saturday.

W. L. Patterson, a member of the state unemployment compensation commission, said enactment of the bill would not mean that benefits would be paid sooner, but that the pooled fund would be substantially increased when benefit payments are made, starting Jan. 1, 1939.

Should the state receive the $5,800,000, there will be approximately $35,000,000 in the fund for paying the jobless when benefits first become due.

A 1.8 per cent payroll tax this year is estimated to raise $11,600,000, and an increase in the levy to 2.7 per cent next year should produce an additional $17,400,000, commission statisticians estimated.

Benefits, under provisions of the state law, will be paid persons thrown out of employment for a period of 12 weeks. They will receive approximately half of their regular weekly salary during the period.

Patterson said release of the $5,800,000 would mean employers may take advantage of the merit rating plan sooner, since 1936 taxes will substantially bolster their reserves.

Agitation for states without unemployment compensation laws prior to Jan. 1, 1937 to receive credit for their 1936 taxes had its inception here at the governors' conference, Nov. 16-18.

LAND SINKING IS HARRYING FARMERS

By The Associated Press.

BUHL, Idaho, Aug. 14.—Harried farmers of this Southern Idaho agricultural region were alarmed tonight over a strange geological quirk that may turn their productive land into useless canyon bottoms.

The farmers, who have triumphed over climatical conditions by irrigation, faced an uncombatable foe—land sinking.

That the subterranean disturbance which is causing land to sink eight miles northwest of here is far from finished was shown when a new "sonking canyon" formed within the past two hours. An area 20 yards wide and 70 yards lonk sank 75 feet in a single day.

The new depression, which started from a crack in the ground, is separate dfrom the original "sinking canyon" by a 25-foot wall. The first depression, covering five acres, has sunk to the 200-foot level and it is still settling. Land cracks have spread in all directions.

Baffled farmers found little solace in geologists' explanation that collapses of the upper lava crust of a subterranean cavern is causing the land to sink.

Small crops—mostly vegetables—are raised in the affected area.

Cuts Third Set of Teeth at Sixty-nine

Mrs. Andy Young, 1412 South Grand avenue, who is 69 years of age, is cutting her third set of teeth and now has eight which she believes will be full grown teeth.

The last of her second set of teeth, she said were taken out ten years ago and about three months ago she noticed the new teeth coming in.

"No one would believe it," said Mrs. Young, "not even my dentist until I went to his office and showed him."

Mrs. Young said an aunt of hers, Mrs. Jane Todd, now deceased, who lived in Cole Camp, had a third set of teeth, "the prettiest teeth I ever saw," Mrs. Young said.

"NO TIME FOR KISSING WHILE YOU'RE DRIVING"

By The Associated Press.

ATLANTA, Aug. 14.—Jimmie Wilson, 18, testified that he was kissing his 17-year-old girl friend when his motor car crashed into a tree today.

"There's a time and place for kissing," observed Recorder A. W. Callaway, "but it's not while you're driving."

He assessed a fine of $52 on a reckless driving charge.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS WALNUT GROVE SOCIAL

A very large crowd attended the ice cream social at Walnut Grove school Wednesday evening, August 11.

Music furnished by Dick Bennett and Mr. Lynch, song and dance by Betty Jo Tharp were very much enjoyed.

The sum of $32.80 was realized.

Marriage License Issued

Ernest Robinson and Arzelia Beaver, both of Sedalia.

MISS DURLEY IS AUXILIARY HOSTESS

Miss Sallie Durley was hostess to the Hughesville Presbyterian auxiliary at her home northeast of Hughesville, Thursday.

This spacious colonial home was an ideal setting for the program "Yesteryears" with Mrs. Edw. Callis as leader and Mrs. Walter Davis devotional chairman.

Mrs. Clay Jones, who recently returned from the Montreat Training School, Montreat, N. C. reviewed Mrs. Hallie Paxton's book, "Yesteryears" and told of the pageant portraying the book, given at Montreat.

Mrs. Callis, historian, read the history of the church and auxiliary. There are two charter members of the auxiliary still living: Mrs. Nina Hedger and Mrs. Elsie Fowler, but neither were able to attend.

One interesting and pathetic incident was recorded in the history of the Hughesville Presbyterian church. A lovely and modern church was built and stood ready for the dedication service. On Saturday night before the service was to be held on Sunday a cyclone demolished the building. But the anti-climax was that in just one year to the day the church which now stands, while not so fine or modern as the first one, was dedicated and has been in constant use. This church was dedicated June 8, 1902.

The program also included a number of hymns, favorites of the older generation. Miss Mildred Rages played Mendelssohn's "Consolation" and Misses Leola Reece and Mildred Rages and Mesdames C. L. Rages and LeRoy Reese, accompanied by Miss Helen Marie Durley, sang a quartet arrangement of "Saved By Grace."

Guests other than members present were: Miss Minnie Wiley and guest, Mrs. Bradley of Kansas City; Mesdames Jim Finley and Clay Jones and Misses Lillis, Virginia and Catherine Jones of Longwood and Range Line churches; Mesdames D. R. Powell, LeRoy Reese and Ed Wagoner and Misses Leola Reese, Sarah Lyle Cordry, Maude Catherine Davis, Helen Marie and Elizabeth Durley and Mildred and Lillian Rages.

Members present, other than those mentioned were: Mrs. John Callis, Mrs. V. L. Cordry, Miss Catherine Fowler, Mrs. John Fowler, Mrs. Campbell Macfarlane, Mrs. Henry Nagel and Mrs. Geo. Thornton.

OFFICERS TO RETURN HERE FOR FAIR

The Kansas City "Smiling Cop," Patrolman Kenneth Curran, nationally known police officer who handles traffic at the Mercy hospital corner on Independence bolvevard, in Kansas City, will return to Sedalia for Fair Week, as will Ray Hunter of the traffic division of the Kansas City police department.

Detectives Leo Ghent and Fred Watkins have been assigned to do "plain clothes" duty on the grounds during the State Fair.

Both Officer Curran and Hunter are well known here, having been assigned to the local fair on two previous occasions.

SAFETY OFFICER TO ADDRESS CLASS

Kenneth Curran, police officer of Kansas City, who has gained recognition for his kindness to children, escorting them in safety across the streets near Mercy hospital, will speak at the Men's Bible Class of the First Christian church next Sunday morning.

Officer Curran will be in Sedalia during the state fair. He has been a member of the fair police force for a number of years and is always heartily welcomed on his visits here.

HONOR A BRIDAL PAIR AT REPAST

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gibson, of Nelson, entertained with a dinner in honor of their son, Edwin Gibson, who was married to Miss Pearl Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Davis, of Marshall.

Those present were, Mrs. Harry Sowers and daughters, Marie and Mildred, of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thomas and children, of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. William Dewitt and son, of Beaman, Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson, Marshall, Mrs. Elmer Powers and daughter Mr., and Mrs. James Gibson and children, Miss Velma West of Nelson and Harry Gibson, of the home.

LAND BANK REFUND CHECKS ARE RECEIVED

Osborn W. Greer, secretary-treasurer of the Pettis and Sedalia National Farm Loan Associations, reports that he has received a bundle of checks from the Federal Land Bank of St. Louis for farmers in Pettis County who are members of the associations.

The checks represent the difference in interest paid by members of the Pettis and Sedalia National Farm Loan Associations between the emergency 3½ per cent rate recently extended by congressional action and the contract rate on Federal land bank loans.

Return to Sedalia

E. G. Kennedy, a member of the Smith-Cotton high school faculty and Mrs. Kennedy, who have been in Columbia during the summer, where Mr. Kennedy attended the university, have returned to Sedalia to reside and are located at an apartment at 502 West Sixth street.

MADAME CHIANG KAI-SHEK BUILDS UP AIR FORCES

Makes Explanation On Air Bombing Tragedy In Shanghai

NANKING, Aug. 16.—A little Chinese woman stands today with her husband in the path of Japan's advance into China.

She is Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, Wellesley-educated wife of the head of the Chinese government and army and, in her own right, commander-in-chief of the nation's airforces.

More than anyone she has been responsible for building up the Chinese air corps until today it numbers 550 planes with 15 flying bases scattered throughout the country.

Squadrons of Japanese planes opened a campaign yesterday to destroy all bases of this airforce within 250 miles of war-torn Shanghai.

Madame Chiang declared yesterday that Saturday's airbombing tragedy in Shanghai was due to bombs being loosed accidentally from Chinese army planes damaged by Japanese anti-aircraft fire.

In a telegram to Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., in Shanghai, she said her husband "shocked and grieved" had ordered an investigation of the holocaust.

Mrs. Roosevelt, a visitor in Shanghai, telegraphed Madame Chiang urging, "as a sincere friend," that steps be taken to prevent a repetition of the tragedy.

Observers have credited the rapid growth of Chinese military aviation in the past eight years to the executive ability and farsighted labors of the country's first lady.

Already prominent in the Sino-Japanese conflict, this force of 18 American pilots, 90 Italian engineers, and nearly 600 Chinese officers and 400 cadets, was expected to become a powerful instrument of military offense under her guidance.

Two years after her marriage to General Chiang Kai-Shek in 1927 she became convinced that the generalissimo could keep abreast of the rapidly-shifting scenes of Chinese politics spread over a vast area only by means of rapid transportation.

Her answer was a private airplane. From that her interest grew and turned toward the development of Chinese commercial and military aviation, particularly the latter. She traveled thousands of miles by plane around the country.

Hers was reported to be the strategy which has been directing the activities of the Chinese airforce in the present conflict with Japan. Save for the Shanghai misadventure, the strategy has been singularly effective, according to observers on the scene.

Chinese aviation was not particularly effective in the Sino-Japanese conflict of 1932, but predictions were current today it will be a vital factor in the present struggle.

TALL CORN GROWS IN PETTIS COUNTY

Pettis county grows some really tall corn as well as other corn growing sections and numerous farmers have in their fields stalks that are ten feet, or more, in height.

Saturday A. J. Collister, residing two miles north of Sedalia, brought in an immense stalk from a field in bottom land on the North Grand avenue road that measured 13 feet, nine inches tall. It was of the Boone county white variety and has two large ears of the maturing grain.

The stalk is on display at the Democrat and Capital office.

A corn stalk, twelve feet and eight inches in heighth, was presented to the Democrat and Capital Friday by Herman Mosier, who grew it on the L. J. Lackey farm five miles south of Sedalia on the Abell road.

EARL CARPENTER FATALLY SHOT SELF

Earl Carpenter, aged 44, of Windsor, died Saturday morning of a self inflicted gunshot wound, caused when he shot himself with a .44 calibre revolver in his room over a store in that town. Despondency over ill health is believed to have caused his act.

Carpenter leaves one brother.

No inquest was held.

GROWS FINE CORN ON PRAIRIE LAND

One of the finest fields of corn in Central Missouri is that of George Sidwell of six miles west of Windsor, Mo., who has 55 acres on prairie land that will yield heavily. It is on land that had been in grass and a stalk brought to The Democrat and Capital office measures 13 feet and two inches tall and had three ears, two large and one small. The larger ear measures from where it begins to leave the stalk in the shuck 24 inches.

Two varieties are grown by Mr. Sidwell, one being Reid's Yellow Dent and the other Mortgage Lifter. Both are equally good.

Wife: "Did you notice the womderful coat on the woman who was sitting in front of us in church this morning?"

Husband: "No, I'm afraid I was dozing."

Wife: "It does a lot of good take you to church, doesn't it?"

Bunceton Items

(By Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson)

Miss Willie Harris went to Moberly Monday for a visit with her brothers, T. E. and M. C. Harris and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burger of Sedalia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Colbert and Mrs. G. E. Ensley.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. Lyle Wright, spent Monday at New Franklin with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson.

James O. Nelson went to Tipton Saturday for a visit with his son Jesse G. Nelson and family.

Mrs. Clayton Eichelberger spent Thursday in Sedalia with Mr. and Mrs. George Helms and Friday and Saturday at Otterville with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Needy.

Mr. and Mrs. Squire Smith left last Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Armstrong and Kansas City, Mo., before returning to their home at San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. T. B. Stephens and daughter, Mrs. P. M. Bail, returned to their home at Washington, D. C., Friday after a several weeks' visit with Mrs. Gray Amick. They were joined in St. Louis by Mr. Bail who has been teaching in the Iowa State University.

Mrs. W. E. Harris and daughter Miss Willie and Mrs. A. M. Harris of Cotton spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. John Howe at Kleiver.

Miss Mary Dale Richey of Hopewell is spending this week with Clayton Eichelberger and family.

Mrs. Daisy Turner and son and Mrs. George Tolson of Sturgeon and Mrs. L. L. Mosier of near Sedalia spent from Thursday until Sunday with their sister, Miss Lutie Salmons.

Mrs. Bessie Gentry spent from Saturday until Tuesday with relatives and friends in Kansas City.

Misses Mary Lee and Donna Eichberger spent from Wednesday until Friday in Boonville with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rowles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gerhardt and Roy Gerhardt spent Sunday in St. Louis.

Miss Mary Peyton Meeker left last Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Abe Pickles at Shawnee, Okla. She will also attend the centennial at Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and son Donnie of Osceola, Iowa, came Monday to spend a two weeks' vacation with her father, C. F. Lewis and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schlotzhauer and daughter Zula of Dover spent Sunday afternoon with Harry Whitney and family.

Jessie Martin and family spent the week end in Sedalia with relatives.

Harry Whitney, Jr., of California, Mo., spent from Saturday until Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hepler and son Junior, left Monday on a two weeks' vacation which they will spend with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Groves at Durango, Colo. They also expect to visit other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wright of Warrenton spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson. Mrs. Wright remained for a week's visit.

L. F. Parker and family of Otterville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Parker.

Mrs. G. E. Hartrick left Friday for a several days' visit with Mr. Hartrick at Neodesha, Kans.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shrout and daughter Mary Ann spent Sunday and Monday with their sons Francis Shrout and wife and Fred Shrout in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cook and son, J. M., of Chilhowee, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Weiss and daughter Marylin of St. Louis spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Spangler of Bisbee, Ariz., came Thursday for a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. Q. Kelly.

Miss orothy Whitaker of Boonville spent the week end with her sisters, Mrs. Walter Harness and Mrs. E. E. Filler.

Russell Morris left Sunday for a visit with Vincel Hickerson at Bethany, Mo.

Miss Mary Van Orsdol of Boonville spent Thursday with Mrs. G. E. Hartrick.

Miss Dean Stevenson of Boonville spent Sunday with Virginia Whitney.

Misses Janie, Jessie Blank and Ruth Ann Cook and Allen Layne, Tommie Nelson and Eldred Brandes went to Columbia Monday where they are attending the 4-H roundup this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Estes and son John Earl returned to their home at Laramie, Wyo., Wednesday after a several weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Gray Amick.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Soph and sons of Atchison, Kas., came Tuesday for a visit in the Wm. Floyd home.

Mrs. Ralph Foxworthy and three children of Fortuna spent from Wednesday until Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Filler.

Miss Bessie Johnson and Miss Margaret Laird of Des Moines, Ia., spent the week end with Miss Mariam Harned in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bettie Harned.

Mrs. Herb Carl is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Clarence Floyd.

Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Shook and children returned home Monday from Springfield where they had been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ida Rand of St. Joseph, Mich., came Friday for a visit with her son, Dr. J. B. Rand and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Baumnetter and daughters, Misses Elly and Ilsa and son, Werner of La Grange, Ill., spent from Thursday until Sunday with their cousin, H. J. Kopp and family.

Knob Noster

Mrs. Ray Kelley entertained the Swastika club at her home Thursday. Needle work and conversation whiled away a very pleasant afternoon and the hostess served tempting refreshments to the following members: Mesdames Charles Covey, P. G. Utley, H. N. Gillum, Earl Sappington, E. C. Littlefield, Russell Kendrick, Charles Saults, Mary Park and the new member, Mrs. W. V. Richeson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neitzert, of Camdenton, spent several days last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Neitzert and the latter's sisters, Mrs. H. N. Gillum and Miss Mary Mahin.

Mrs. William Butler entertained the following at her home Sunday in honor of Mr. Butler's birthday anniversary, the latter's sister, Mrs. E. E. Hodge, Mr. Hodge and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hodge and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodge and daughter, Carol Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hodge and daughter, Donna Jean and son Owen Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Butler and son Billy all of Kansas City, Kas.

Creighton Benton, Victor Butler, William Gowins, Lloyd Hedgecock and Lee Hamilton Hughes left last Saturday and Jock Atkins left Thursday for National Guard training camp at Fort Riley, Kas., for two weeks.

Miss Patricia Piethman spent from Wednesday until Sunday at Karlem Lodge, south of Sedalia with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kahrs.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church met in the church basement Thursday. The afternoon was spent in quilting with the following present: Mesdames O. O. Simons, Lee Campbell, Roy Mays, Henry Nichols, William Zink Sr., H. A. Wimer, Rayburne Dawes, Nimmie Smith, E. A. Sappington, Emma Doggett and Karl Swisher and children Leota and Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Darnold and children Dale and Bernita of Atlanta, Ill., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Raybourne Dawes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Atkins entertained the following guests at their home Sunday: Mrs. Effie Atkins, Mrs. John Thomas and Stanton Tannehill of Bozeman, Montana; Mrs. James Tannehill of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Atkins, son Ronald, Mrs. Maude J. Atkins, Mrs. Sarah Thomas and O. W. Wall, all of Blairstown, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Phillips of Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sappington, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Richeson and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kendrick enjoyed Sunday at Bagnell dam and Ha-Ha-Tonka.

Miss Leona Payne and Mrs. Lena Rogers of La Monte, visited Miss Lois Kendrick Monday.

Mrs. E. C. Elliott, daughter Betty Lou, Mrs. Francis Harfield, Mrs. W. M. Dillon and Mary Grace Utley arrived home Saturday from Rockaway Beach, where they enjoyed a few days vacation.

Miss Louise Smith her sister, Mrs. Irwin Hammer and children, Majorie Helen and Donald of New York and Miss Elaine Zink were Kansas City visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Crowley and their two children, with Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Crowley of La Monte returned home Sunday after spending a week with Mrs. Stuart Crowley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moore of Clarksdale, Ill.

Marjorie Helen and Mary Elizabeth Wimer arrived home last Thursday afternoon after spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Eugene Dritt and Mr. Dritt of California, Mo.

Miss Arlene Crowley who is attending Central Business College in Kansas City, came last Wednesday to spend several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crowley and family.

Mrs. E. C. Littlefield who is spending the summer months in Kansas City visited friends here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Foster and daughter, Miss Wadene and Mrs. Earl Sappington, daughter Dorothy Louise, were in Warrensburg on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Kendrick and son, Milton, who have been vacationing in the northern states and Canada the past two months, returned home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCluney and daughter Margaret Ann of Princeton, N. Y., came Saturday for a two weeks' visit with the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. G. McCluney. Also Mrs. Belle Hancock and niece, Miss Sarah Hancock of Nashville, Tenn., arrived Sunday for a week's visit.

Roy Lee Hughes arrived home Monday after spending the week-end with friends in Chillicothe.

RETIRES AS TICKET AGENT AFTER 22 YEARS SERVICE

Mrs. Della Snyder, of St. Louis, who is the guest of her son, Roy Snyder and Mrs. Snyder, 302 West Sixth street, has retired from railroad service, as a ticket agent, after twenty-two years of service. Her last post of duty was Cook's station near St. Louis.

Mrs. Snyder was with the 'Frisco railroad and upon reaching retirement age the company retired her on pension and closed the station over which she had been in charge.

Licensed To Wed

A marriage license was issued in Warrensburg to Gus Bodenhamer, Warrensburg, and Edith Taylor, Stover.

Windsor Items

(By Mrs. W. T. Jordan)

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lingle and children left Wednesday for a visit in Colorado Springs with relatives.

Miss Evangeline Merritt of New York City is visiting Mrs. Fred Winzenried.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wesner left last week on a trip to points in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Valentine left Sunday for Roaring River on an outing where they were joined by relatives from Oklahoma City.

Wilton Jennings and daughter, Sylvia of Lees Summit spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Jennings.

Private, First Class, Thomas Petty went to Warrensburg Saturday for the mobilization of the headquarters company and the headquarters detachment, 35th Division, Missouri National Guard. The Warrensburg units left early Sunday morning for Fort Riley, Kas., to participate in the fourth army war maneuvers. The headquarters units will be attached to the commanding staff of the "Blue" forces in the "battle."

Mr. and Mrs. William Kilburn who have been on a vacation in Colorado spent the week end here with relatives before returning to their home in Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Barker and daughter left a few days ago on a trip to Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mayfield of Independence spent Thursday and Friday here with Mrs. Blanche Mayfield and family. Mrs. Mayfield returned home with them for a short visit.

Mrs. Harvey Ordway spent the week end in Nevada with Mrs. S. R. Major.

Miss Myrtle Allen was operated on in Kansas City last week.

Mrs. N. A. Pharis and family, Miss Dode Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowen and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wells, Helen Wells and Bob Taylor enjoyed an outing at Nigger Springs Sunday.

Miss Merritt Mayfield spent last week in the country with Mrs. Logan Wall and Mrs. C. E. Avery.

The ladies of the Missionary Societies of the M. E. church, South, and their families held their annual picnic at the park last Friday evening with about fifty in attendance.

Mrs. Errol Huffman and son returned Monday to Raytown after a week end visit with home folks.

Mrs. Bryon Journey was hostess last week to the Merry-Go-Round Bridge Club and extra guests, who were: Mesdames J. R. Yelton, Denver Miller, Miss Pauline Wheeler and Mrs. Alsbury of Clinton.

A very pretty garden party was staged Tuesday evening of last week at the Hughey Johnston home with Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. V. Barker, hostesses to their friends. Bridge was played, the trophy going to Mrs. Roy Milam, first, and Mrs. Elbert Sutherland 2nd, with low to Mrs. L. T. Hoback. After the series of games a lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartford Hall and family of Columbia and Mrs. Flora Stonger were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rusk, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Rusk, Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moss of Eldon left Friday for a motor trip through Colorado.

Bob Moss returned Sunday to Eldon after visiting here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Phifer returned Sunday evening from a two weeks vacation spent visiting with friends and relatives in Springfield and Sedalia. Mr. Phifer is bookkeeper at the Superior Hatchery.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knowles of Eaton, Colo., were visiting George Pickerill and family and Mrs. C. A. Jennings Monday afternoon.

Miss Mary Gorrell spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Brown near Clinton. Park Brown who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown near Clinton left Sunday night for his home in New York City.

Rev. Jud Stonger and wife of Appleton City and Perry Stonger and wife of Clinton visited Monday with Mrs. Flora Stonger.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilbur of Washington, D. C., stopped Monday in Windsor. Mrs. Wilbur was before her marriage Margaret Noel and attended school in Windsor about 15 years ago. They had been visiting relatives in the southern part of the state and in Arkansas.

Clifford Oechsle, Beulah Davis and Mrs. C. E. Oechsli spent Sunday in Jefferson City with Mr. and Mrs. Orden Oechsli. Mrs. Orden Oechsli and Virginia Lou returned home with them for a week's visit.

The following is an items from the Magna, Ntah newspaper: "Mrs. Ida Dawes was pleasantly surprised Monday by an unexpected visit from her two sons, Frank Dawes of Dayton, Ohio, and Raymond Dawes of St. Louis. They are visiting at the nome of their brother, Curtis Dawes in Magna, with whom their mother resides. Curtis Dawes had not seen his brother, Frank for seventeen years." Mrs. Ida Dawes is a former Windsorite and her friends are glad to know that she is to pleasantly situated with her son, Curtis and family. Magna is a suburg of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Oakes and the following friends enjoyed a pot luck supper in the Oakes garden Monday evening: Messrs. and Mesdames, George Wesner, C. A. Austin, Roland Brown, Harold Bowen and Mr. and Mrs. Oakes.

Marriage License Issued

Ernest Robinson and Arzelia Beaver, both of Sedalia.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Grace O'Day

Mrs. Grace O'Day, 51 years old, passed away at the Bothwell hospital about 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, following an illness of about a week.

Mrs. O'Day was born in Texas on July 4, 1886. She came to Sedalia and Pettis county to reside in 1917 and has since made this her home.

Mrs. O'Day is survived by her husband, E. D. O'Day of the family home, 411 North Heard avenue.

J. W. Calfee

J. W. Calfee, 78 years old, Cole Camp, Mo., who had been a patient at the Bothwell hospital since July 21, passed away early Sunday morning.

Surviving is his widow of Cole Camp.

Mrs. Katie R. Meyers

Mrs. Katie R. Meyers died at 1220 West Eleventh street, Thursday afternoon. She had been ill for several months.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Paul G. Sauvain, of St. Joseph, and Mrs. F. M. Lavender of St. Louis.

Reed Wensell

Reed Wensell, aged 46, a former resident of LaMonte, died at 11 o'clock Thursday morning at home in Kansas City, according to a message received by B. F. Parker, undertaker at LaMonte.

Mr. Wensell and wife, Mrs. Ora Lee Hedrick Wensell, and the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. Blanche Brewer, Fort Worth, Texas; Mrs. F. A. Johnson, Arcadia, Kas.; Mrs. Daisy Eckles, Sedalia; Dale Wensell, Sand Springs, Okla., and Claude Wensell, Kansas City.

J. D. Whitfield

News has been received of the death last Sunday at Van Alstyne, Texas, of J. D Whitfield, father of Miss Mary Whitfield, who for many years has resided with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bushey of 2207 South Kentucky avenue.

Miss Whitfield at the time her father became seriously ill, left here several weeks ago for his bedside, remaining with him until the end.

Mr. Whitfield is survived by a widow and three children, a daughter and son in addition to Miss Mary Whitfield.

Harold Dean Berry

Harold Dean Berry, two and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Berry, 1701 South Moniteau avenue, passed away at the family home about 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Carl Clifford, and a sister, Mary Louise Berry, also the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Middleton of Beaman, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Berry of Kansas City.

Funeral of E. B. Gibson

Funeral services for Edward B. Gibson, 91, well known retired farmer and cattleman of Pettis County, were conducted by Reverend A. W.Kokendoffer, pastor of the First Christian Church, at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Music for the service was furnished by Mrs. George Sneed, Mrs. Charles H. Bard and Mrs. H. C. Johnson. They sang "Shadows" and "One Sweetly Solemn Thoubht."

Pall bearers were the following friends: Dr. D. P. Dyer, Frank Meyer, C. L. Hanley, Martin Benning, Frank Lumpee and Dr. F. M. Fulkerson.

Interment was in the family lot in Crown Hill cemetery.

Funeral of G. M. Swope.

The funeral of Gearry Monroe Swope, 54, who passed away suddenly Monday morning, was held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Range Line church, with the Rev. Luther Roff, officiating.

Mrs. Luther Roff was in charge of the music for the services.

Flower girls were Alice Keoglar, Peggy Henderson, Anna Marie McMullin and Ida Margaret Reams.

Pall bearers were the following friends: Active: George Long, Bertham Schondelmaier, Harry Runge. James Montgomery, Earl Dirck, and Bryan Burke. Honorary: John Dirck, John and H. M. Schondelmaier, Albert and Will Reed and Will Rife.

Interment was in High Point cemetery.

Funeral of J. R. Sledge.

Funeral services for James Robert Sledge, 88 years old, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. I. L. Robertson, 235 South Park avenue, were conducted at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Gillespie Funeral Home with the Rev. J. R. Sumners, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, officiating.

Pall bearers were the following friends: F. E. Stockton, B. B. Bradley, Elmer Arnold, Asa Robertson, Mr. Teeter and Mr. Williams.

Interment was in the Bethlehem cemetery at Valda.

FUNERAL OF FARMER WHO DROWNED

The funeral of Charles Owen, 70 year old farmer who lived 12 miles northwest of Jefferson City, will be held at the Pisgah Baptist church

Mr. Owen was drowned early Monday evening in Pisgah creek when he went to his pasture to turn out a span of mules. His body was recovered four hours after the drowning is believed to have occurred.

Members of the family reported that Mr. Owen went to the pasture about seven o'clock in the evening. Some time later, when he had not returned, his family made a search for him, finding the mules' bridles on the bank of the creek, near a water gap, where he is believed to have released the mules.

It was said that one track was found on the wet bank of the creek, indicating that Mr. Owen had slipped in the mud and plunged into the stream, which was about 5 feet higher than usual due to a heavy rain which had fallen during the afternoon.

He is survived by his wife and two children, who are: Howard Owen, California and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson also of California, who is employed in the offices of Cook and Lauf, at Jefferson City.

LESTER A. STANLEY DIES IN WASHINGTON

Lester Abbott Stanley, many years a patent attorney at Washington, D. C. passed away this morning at his home in Washington according to a message to relatives here.

Mr. Stanley was a son of the late Elisha Stanley eldest brother of Anthony D. Stanley, president of the Sedalia Democrat company up to the time of his passing January 5, 1931, and he and his family had visited here at various times during former years in which they had formed many acquaintances and lasting friendships among Sedalians.

His mother was Mrs. Caroline Abbott Stanley, an educator and writer who won distinction in her writings chief among them being "Order No. 11" and "Modern Madonna." She was also the author of several other books of that type that were widely read.

Lester A. Stanley was born at Pleasant Hill August 6, 1872 and after his father's death when he was but a child of four, went with his mother to Michigan where she was an instructor in the schools of Kalamazoo and other points. He attended and graduated from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor and later went to Washington where he had been for many years.

He is survived by his widow and two daughters Misses Virginia and Caroline Stanley of the home in Washington.

RESIGNS AS HEAD OF TRAINING SCHOOL

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY Aug. 17.—Harve G. Gray, superintendent of the Missouri Training School for Boys at Boonville, submitted his resignation to Governor Lloyd C. Stark today, and the executive said he would accept it, effective October 1.

Stark said he was considering the appointment of Roy E. Stone of Kansas City, until recently superintendent of the state Confederate Home at Higginsville, as Gary's successor.

Gray's resignation, Stark said was voluntary. There have been rumors, however, that Gray would not be reappointed.

Listed as a farmer and stockman of Blairstown, Henry County, Gray was named head of the Boonville reformatory early in the Park administration four years ago. As superintendent, he received $250 a month.

When the governor named Robert Walton, Armstrong editor as Stone's successor at Higginsville recently, he said Stone was being considered for a more remunerative position. The Higginsville post pays $170 a month.

PROGRAM BEFORE HOMEMAKERS

The Brick Homemakers club held its regular monthly meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. Ray Armstrong with 11 members and four visitors present. Miss Beulah Armstrong was assistant hostess.

At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon with home made ice cream and cake were enjoyed by all.

In the afternoon the business meeting was called to order by the president, Msr. Donald Perkins. The opening songs: Star of the Summer Night, What a Friend We Have In Jesus, and Work for the Night Is Coming.

The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. The roll call was answered by my favorite green tomato recipe.

After the business meeting the following program of songs and poems were given:

Song: Home Sweet Home—Audience.

Recitation: The Little Town—Phyllis Dean Holman.

Poem: House With Nobody In It—Mrs. Vincel Fry.

Song: The Home on the Range—Fern Page.

Recitation: What Is Home?—Nancy Lee Burford.

Recitation: Homes Not Merely Four Square Walls—Dotty Homan.

Song: Take Me Back Where the Swaunee River Flows.

Reading: Christ Honored the Home—Gertrude Homan.

Song: Jesus Was a Child Like Me—Lucille Payne.

Recitation: What Is Home Without a Bible?—Eugene Jiegel.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. Gerty, September 18.

IMMENSE CROWD ATTENDS A CHICKEN DINNER

The annual chicken dinner given by the members of St. Patrick's Catholic church, Spring Fork, at the home of Frank Weber Tuesday was attended by one of the largest crowds ever in attendance at thes popular affairs. Two hundred thirty-five plates were served.

Father F. J. Knoebber is pastor of the church and welcomed the guests.

SCHOOL FUND TO PETTIS COUNTY TOTALS $124,221

August Payment of $47,842 Apportioned By Lloyd W. King

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 17.—Apportionment, by counties, of the August payment of state public school funds for the 1937-38 school year was announced today by Lloyd W. King, state superintendent of schools.

The total payments of $5,064,291—an increase of $830,925 over the August payment a year ago—should reach local districts through county treasurers in time to meet September payrolls, King said.

The state school fund is released twice during the school year. The first payment is made in August and the second payment in March. This year the August payment represents 38.5 per cent of the total apportionment.

Of the August payment, $3,478,482 will go to high school districts, $1,490,486 to rural schools, $78,375 to schools for teaching defectives and orphans, and $16,946 for school building aid.

While the state is contributing more than ever before for the support of public education, this does not mean that schools are spending more than formerly, King pointed out.

As state aid has increased, school money raised by local levies has decreased, the superintendent said. This has come about both in reductions in assessed valuations and in local levies.

The increase in state aid is shown by the following: In 1930-31 Missouri schools spent $42,000,000 for teachers' salaries and incidentals. Of this, the state supplied $5,000,000 or 12 per cent. In 1936-37, a total of $37,000,000 was spent of which the state supplied $10,000,000 or 27 per cent.

The increase in the school fund, which represents a third of the state's general revenue, is due to the hike in state taxes, particularly in the sales tax.

Total apportionments and August payments respectively in the larger Missouri counties include:

Cole, $94,567 and $36,421; Cooper, $92,033 and $35,445; Greene, $337,568 and $130,010; Jackson, $639,610 and $246,337; Pettis, $124,221 and $47,842; St. Louis county, $450,742 and $173,493; Saline, $113,519 and $43,720; St. Louis (city) $669,109 and $257,699.

The Pettis county allotment is $3,289.97 more than that of last year, which was $91,327.03 paid in two payments, $39,006.02 in September and $52,321.01 in March.

BOY ON BICYCLE STRUCK BY CAR

Billy Thomas, twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dot Thomas, 1801 South Washington avenue, Tuesday night received injuries, believed not to be serious, when he was struck by an automobile while riding his bicycle.

According to Charles Dent, 601 East Tenth street, who was driving the car, the boy ran into the car as it was turning. Dent said that he had stopped at the light on Broadway and Grand and was turning north on Grand when he struck the boy. Dent believed that Billy, who was accompanied by his brother, Oliver, did not see him begin to turn and ran into the car.

Dent took the boy to Bothwell Hospital in his car and called Dr. D. P. Dyer.

He is getting along nicely today.

ALLOTMENTS TO SCHOOLS APPROVED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Public Works Administrator Ickes announced that President Roosevelt had approved 280 allotments totaling $18,033,458 for school construction projects in 41 states.

The allotments provide for grants of $$17,091,658 and loans of $941,800. The total cost of the projects was estimated at $37,714,378.

Ickes said the list represents the first survey of all applications from schools having fire hazards. Preference was given to applications calling for demolition of old buildings. All applications for replacement of burned buildings were approved.

The allotments included (grants unless otherwise specified to be supplemented by sponsor contributions):

Jefferson City, Mo., $54,701; Jefferson City, Mo., $48,622; Kirkwood, Mo., $207,000; Pacific, Mo., $31,000; Perryville, Mo., $60,545; Pickering, Mo., $16,118.

INCREASE RATE TO "VETS" DEPENDENTS

A bill signed Tuesday by President Roosevelt increases the rate for a dependent mother or father of a veteran whose death was service-connected from $20 to $45 and for both parents from $15 to $25 each.

This law will affect many Sedalians and Pettis county mothers and fathers whose sons have died as the result of the war. They will not have to make application for the increase. It will automatically be carried on the next checks sent out.

COL. LINDBERGH MAY BUY ISLAND

By The Associated Press.

PARIS, Aug. 18.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was reported today to be negotiating for the purchase of Milio, a small island once owned by Aristide Briand, near Trebeurden on the Breton coast.

The newspaper Le Journal published the report in a special dispatch from Perrosguirec, saying its informants believed the flier would buy the property to be near Dr. Alexis Carrel with whom he was collaborated in scientific research.

Dr. Carrel has a residence on St. Gildas island nearby. Lindbergh has made frequent visits recently to the Carrel home.

Briand, now dead, used to spend vacations on Milio island when he was premier of France.

Lindbergh, with his wife and five-year old son, Jon has been living near Weald, England, since the family left the United States in December, 1935.

Residents about St. Gildas believe Lindbergh and Dr. Carrel are working on a "very important" invention. The flier and the American scientist perfected a robot heart and lungs which was announced in June, 1935.

SIX IN A PICNIC PARTY DROWNED

By The Associated Press.

WEBSTER, S. D. Aug. 16.—Six members of a 4-H picnic party were recovering from shock and near drowning today, while funeral plans were made for six others who drowned yesterday.

Seeking relief from the state's most intense heat wave of the summer, which skyrocketed temperatures close to the 110 degree mark throughout this region yesterday, five Sunday picnickers drowned in Amsden Lake when they sought to rescue Mrs. Mathew Simonson, one of the party who had gone beyond her depth.

Leo Schoenbeck, 36, of Andover, brought Mrs. Simonson to safety, fought frantically to rescue others and then sank from exhaustion. Meanwhile, his son, Junior, pulled six children to safety, witnesses said.

W. D. STEELE IS GIVEN PROMOTION

Dan Nee, of Kansas City, Collector of Internal Revenue, spent a short time in Sedalia Tuesday afternoon, enroute from Kansas City to Jefferson City.

Mr. Nee said that the Kansas City field division for the year ending July 31 ranks third of the 64 collective districts on development and collection of delinquent taxes. Oscar Lollis, of St. Joseph, is chief of the division.

Mr. Nee also spoke of a WPA project in Kansas City, under federal jurisdiction, which started in the Kansas City office in September 1935 with forty men and five women. All were taken from relief rolls, he said, and they were assigned to investigate delinquent varied taxes, now under liquor or income, and through their efforts a thirty-five per cent reduction was in effect August 1. The cost to the government, he said was $92,000 for salaries and expenses and it had resulted in collecting $385,000.

Mr. Nee also mentioned a recent promotion to W. D. Steele, of Sedalia, who is now chief of the processing tax division in Kansas City.

VIRGIL CRAMER IS FINED FOR ASSAULT

Virgil Cramer, better known to the police as "Bad Eye", was found guilty by a jury of six men in the court of Judge Charles W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, after he pleaded not guilty to common assault upon Clarence Bauer, Raytown, Mo., at a hearing held Saturday afternoon. The jury recommended a fine of $25, which was readily assessed by Judge Bente.

The jury was composed of F. B. Bradshaw, "Pete" McFarland, A. C. Kerr, Vernon Glenn, George Sutherland and Fred Shaw.

Cramer, it was alleged, challenged Bauer to a fight at Main street and Kentucky avenue, on Saturday night July 31, after which he was arrested by police officers.

Married In Jefferson City

Friends of Miss Emma Maxine Pohl, 413 East Twelfth street and James Donaldson Shaw, 1603 East Seventh street, are learning of their marriage which took place in Jefferson City Saturday, Aug 14.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. M. Shockly, of the Methodist church.

The couple will reside at 1603 East Seventh street.

Bred Fine Hogs

Judge Malcolm Scott, of LaMonte, county judge of the western district of Missouri, is very proud of the fact that listed among the prominent hogs in the west, in the August issue of The Spotted Poland China Bulletin, are sixteen hogs he bred.

Petitions A Divorce

Alleging general indignities Mrs. Dorothy Williams Vaught Monday brought suit in the circuit clerk's office against Emmett L. Vaught, from whom she is asking a divorce. The petition states they were married in Pettis county and have two children, of whom she asks custody today.

W. W. Blain is attorney for the plaintiff.

ADJUST MATTERS ON CONTRACT IN CHICAGO TRIP

Report By Mayor To The Council on Proposal of Bonds Issue

EARLIER AGREEMENT IS WITHDRAWN

Poposition Has To Do With Purchase Move of Water Plant

The City Council, meeting in regular session Monday night, heard a report from Mayor Julian H. Bagby and City Counselor Fred Wesner on their recent trip to Chicago where they were in conference with representatives of two concerns, with reference to the proposed purchase of the Sedalia Water Company by the city of Sedalia.

Recently the city entered into a contract with C. W. McNear & Company, Chicago, to finance the purchase price of the Sedalia Water Company, if such purchase could be arranged. Soon after this contract was made the city authorities received a communication from the firm of Stifel, Nicolaus & Co., Inc., of St. Louis calling attention to a similar contract this company had with the city, entered into during the administration of Mayor Wilmer Steeples, which was still in existence.

The present administration was not familiar with the prior contract, and was under the impression that there had been a period of limitation.

Under a ode of ethics, which is one of the fundamentals of the municipal bond business, a contract between a bond dealer and a municipality is under no circumstances to be tampered with by a competitor. The McNear company, which had been advised by the Stifel, Nicolaus Company that they had a contract still in existence, the former company found itself in an embarrasing position and wrote Mayor Bagby that under the circumstances that company had no alternative except to reluctantly advise they could no longer consistently proceed further in view of the prior contract, which by its terms was still in effect.

The St. Louis firm asked for a conference, in St. Louis, with Mayor Bagby and the city counselor, who is Fred Wesner. Believing a conference with that firm would be useless without having a representative of the McNear company present, the meeting, upon the suggestion of Mayor Bagby, was held in Chicago Friday morning.

Under the terms of the Stifel, Nicolaus & Company's contract they were to finance an issuance of 5½ per cent bonds, while the McNear contract called for a base rate interest of 4½ per cent, to be gauged on the prevailing average of U. S. bonds at the time of the issuance of the bonds.

The Sedalians learned, they reported, that the St. Louis firm had not figured out a way to finance the proposed proposition under the terms of the contract, and proposed changes. This was not suitable to Bagby and Wesner, as representatives of the city, and the matter was closed by the Stifel, Nicolaus Company withdrawing and making the way clear for the McNear Company.

Mr. Bagby and Mr. Wesner said Monday night that they had arranged to make the trip to Chicago at their own expense, but at the close of the session when the McNear Company found everything arranged satisfactorily, they met all the expenses of the two Sedalians.

Mr. McNear stated that he would have a report to make within the next thirty days.

The last three $500 bonds of the General Hospital issue and three of the $1,000 of the incinerator issue were burned at the council session.

O. T. Farthing, 608½ South Ohio street, was appointed acting building and lectrical inspector. He, with E. E. Herrman, city engineer, will inspect and report on dangerous buildings in the city.

The council recessed until August 30.

MRS. MARTHA A. SHY DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Martha Ann Shy, aged 80, died suddenly at 8:30 Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Ferguson, seven miles south of La Monte. She had gotten up at the usual hour, eaten her breakfast, and soon after died suddenly, death believed due to heart trouble.

Mrs. Shy was born in Morgan County May 30, 1857 a daughter of Isaac and Polly Ann Rich Homan. She was married in 1878 to Theodore Shy and to them four children were born, Theodore who died in infancy, Frank Shy, Pittsburg, Kas., Mrs. Mollie McCorkle, Fairplay, Kas., and Mrs. Ferguson. She also leaves four grandchildren and one great ghandchild, a granddaughter, Mrs. L. E. Stickert, living two miles west of La Monte.

Mrs. Shy joined the Cumberland church at the age of 13, but after moving to her daughter's home, seventeen years ago, she joined the Prairie View church.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Timely News From Central Missouri Towns

Green Ridge Items

(By Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh)

A. J. Raines, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Raines is home from a visit with relatives at Boonville.

Miss Louise Ream left the first of the week for a visit with friends in Holdy, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Craig and daughter, Betty and Miss Georgette Calvert of Columbia and Emil Ripley of Boonville were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Marshall and son, Clyde, Jr., of Kansas City were guests over the week end of Mrs. Marshall's mother, Mrs. R. H. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Brandon and children of Dallas Tex., are spending their vacation with Mrs. Brandon's mother, Mrs. Lydia Yows and her aunt, Miss Nellie Jones, and with relatives at Barnett, Mo.

Miss Nellie Close is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest T. Close at Joplin.

C. E. Bennett who is employed at Columbia is spending a few days at home with Mrs. Barnett and their daughters, Misses Vivian and Elsie.

Mrs. Paul Sullens of Bates City is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. M. Dowdy.

Farmers have almost completed their wheat threshing which began five weeks ago. Sixty-four cars of wheat have been handled by the Acker elevator during that time.

Two birthdays of much pleasure to the little folks have been celebrated the past week, the first one, the sixth birthday of Freida Mae Frank at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Frank, last Friday afternoon, the second one, the fourth birthday of Bonnie Dean Thacker, celebrated last Saturday at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Bert Clevenger. At each party the children enjoyed ice cream and cake, and each celebrant received gifts from their little friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daers of Pleasant Hill visited Sunday with Mrs. Daers' sister, Mrs. H. E. Carter and Mr. Carter.

Laurence, Charles and John Paige, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Paige of Dyke, Ia., came Thursday to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paige. They returned home Monday, accompanied by Forrest Paige who is employed in Dyke.

Miss Eileen Ream who is home from summer school at Warrensburg, has accepted a position in the Roscoe Consolidated school district in St. Clair county for the coming year.

Mrs. Levi Anderson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lyle Denney and husband and Mrs. Lloyd Storum and husband and daughter, Marguerite at Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clinkenbeard had as guests Sunday, Mrs. Chas. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sloan Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sloan and family all of Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jenkins and family of Warrensburg; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sloan and family of Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Egbert and family of Knob Noster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Williams and family of Kansas City visited Sunday morning with Mrs. Williams' brother, E. B. Hinken and wife, and in company with her father, W. C. Hinken attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. Williams' father, Chas. Williams, formerly of this community, but now living near Sedalia. The occasion was Mr. Williams' birthday and 76 relatives and friends enjoyed the day together.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wharton entertained brothers and sisters of Mr. Wharton at their home Sunday at their annual family reunion. Those present for the day were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wharton and son, Omer of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lutgen and son, Kenneth of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Wharton of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Wharton and family of Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wadleigh of Windsor and Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAllister of Webb City.

Mrs. T. J. Pace is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Ely and Mr. Ely and small son, Ben, Jr.

A reunion of interest to this community was held Sunday at Artesian Park, Clinton, when the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. Absalom Ream, early pioneer citizens of Green Ridge, met in their annual reunion. Among the forty-five present were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ream, Postmaster F. E. Ream and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ream and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ream and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ream of Warrensburg and mother, Mrs. Nannie Lowe, Mrs. A. R. Ream, Mrs. George Kyd and son, George, Jr., Columbia, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ream of Denison, Ia.

Mrs. Zora Johnson had as guests over the week end her sisters, Miss Fern Reavies of Kansas City, and Mrs. Hattie Overstreet of Bolivar. On Sunday the following were dinner guests complimenting Mrs. Johnson's sisters: Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Reavis and Mrs. Etta Reavis of La Monte; Miss Nola Barrow and her cousins, Misses Lucille and Anna Conway of Marshall.

Otterville Items

(By Mrs. T. R. Cranmer)

The fourth quarterly conference was held at the Otterville M. E. church Sunday with several present from Glensted and Pleasant Hill churches. Rev. L. M. Starke presiding elder delivered the sermon at the morning hour and christened William Gean Sampson, infant son of Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Sampson. A basket dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. George Straten and family of Kansas City, Kas., were guests over last week-end of his brother, Jess Straten.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Leach observed their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary last Wednesday at their home north of town. The day was spent very quietly with visits from their children. Mr. and Mrs. Leach both are enjoying very good health.

Miss Emogene Potter, of Clifton City, was the guest last week of Miss Gertrude Tavener, west of town.

Miss Lillian Doris Shults is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin at Sedalia this week.

Miss Hattie Henderson returned to Sedalia Monday after enjoying a vacation visit with her mother, Mrs. Bettie Henderson.

Mrs. E. M. Ross and daughter Miss Dorothy, of Warrensburg, spent last week-end with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cranmer and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lingle and sons David Lee and Larry Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Langdon and daughter, Frances, of Sedalia were guests in the home of Will and John Langdon, also Mr. and Mrs. John Burford last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strain entertained with a family dinner last Sunday in honor of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huckstep's fifty-fifth wedding anniversary. Those present besides the honor guests, were: Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ramlow of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seaman and family of Capser, Wyo., who are house guests and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McGeery.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Craig and daughter, visited their son and brother, Archie Craif at Hannibal the past week

Miss Edna Schupp received her B. S. in education degree from C. M. S. T. C. at Warrensburg at the close of the summer session, August 4. Miss Schupp was the most outstanding student of a class of 120 members, with the highest honors ever awarded any member of any history of this institution. Her record showed twenty-two "A's"; twenty-two "B's" and only one average grade, a "C." She is a graduate of Otterville high school and valedictorian of the class. Se is a member of Kappa Dalta Pi national honor fraternity and a member of Dramatics and of Alpha Phi Delta.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Everett, entertained very pleasantly in their beautiful flower garden with a watermelon social. Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Craig and the board of deacons as follows: Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Straten, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Crews, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Scrivner, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Leach and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Schilb.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwin Wherley were guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn.

Miss Evelyn Sue Smith of Smithton, visited the past week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Pierpont Atkinson and Mrs. George Wear.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Norman of Tip[illegible] and daughter, Mrs. Lewis Tim[illegible] and family of Kansas, were [illegible]rs in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Harlan and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gunn, last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Lloyd of Nashville, Tenn., visited his cousin Mrs. J. H. Hupp and daughter, Mrs. Mary Watts and family. Mr. Lloyd is plant manager for the Belle Telephone Company of Middle, Tenn. They were en route to Tennessee from a western trip to Colorado and Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and Miss Sue Hockaday of Slater, attended the funeral of Mrs. Stella Ames Friday afternoon and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Everett.

Mrs. George West and daughter Miss Elizabeth, left Friday for a short visit with her father, W. F. Robertson at Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Williamson left Saturday for Kentucky after Mrs. Williamson spent the past month with her mother and sister, Mrs. Martha Brodersen and Miss Laura.

The adult education school of which Mrs. George West is instructor closed Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burford and daughters, Misses Nell and Catherine and Herman Rogers, attended the surprise birthday dinner Sunday for her brother-in-law at Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barker of Odessa, are spending a few days with Mrs. Barker's father, Reg Neal.

Miss Martha Jean Harris of Kansas City, is visiting in the home of her grandfather, Joe Postlewait.

Miss Louise Brubaker who is attending the Chillicothe Business College, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Elmer Brubaker on route one.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anderson and son of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Lewis and granddaughter, Dorothy Jean Doutt, of Kansas City, spent a few days in the home of Mrs. Florence Lewis and Emmett Lewis.

Miss Olive Risher spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Spatts near Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burnett of Warrensburg spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Lon Bryan and other relatives.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Herman Egbert Colvin and Julia Irene Thomas, both of Sedalia.

Harvey Wells, Liberal, Kas., and Beatrice Milliken, Sedalia.

Lincoln Items

(By Maye Messersmith)

Monroe Stevens Passes

Monroe Stevens, former Lincoln newspaper man and representative in the legislature, died August 9 at Lincoln.

His funeral services weer held on Wednesday afternoon, August 11, at 2 o'clock at his home, conducted by the Rev. D. H. Holland, pastor of the Methodist church, and interment was made in the Lincoln cemetery north of town.

Mrs. Margaret Kreissler was honored by her children and other relatives who gathered at her home Sunday afternoon to celebrate her 77th birthday which came on Tuesday, August 10. Her sons and daughters and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kreissler and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kreissler and son, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kreissler [illegible] Mr. and Mr[illegible] family of [illegible] Mrs. Walter [illegible] and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wischmeier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Goosen and daughter, Mrs. Charles Kesemann and daughter. Other relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goosen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meuschke and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tucker and family of Cole Comp were also present. A lunch to which all had contributed was served.

Mrs. Harry Stober very pleasantly entertained her Embroidery club at her home last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore and son moved here last week from Cole Camp and are now at home in rooms of Miss Sue Parker's residence.

A party of Smithton young people enjoyed a picnic last Wednesday at Kaysinger Bluff near Warsaw. They were joined here by Miss Mary Lucille Stober.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lumpe and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lumpe were in Kansas City Sunday taking Miss Audrew Bell, who went on by rail to her home in Streator, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Hand and family and their granddaughter, Beverly Ann Hand of Houstonia visited one day recently with Mrs. Jane Carpenter and Miss Mabel Carpenter.

Mrs. Beulah Harden enjoyed a week end visit with friends at Ladue, Mo. Her son Allan, who has spent his vacation with relatives near Springfield and other places, came home with her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lumpe and Miss Audrey Bell spent last Wednesday evening in the H. D. Gabriel home south of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe, Mrs. Carl Lumpe and Miss Audrey Bell visited last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lumpe and family in Warsaw. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boehmer and Carl Lumpe were evening in the same home.

Miss Ruby Meuschke came home last Monday from Wheatridge, Wyo., for a month's visit with her mother, Mrs. Helen Meuschke and other relatives.

W. Merlin Henry and Mrs. Mable Haues went to Spring Garden, Mo., Sunday where Mrs. Haues remained for a visit with her brother, George Fields and Mrs. Fields before returning to her home at McKamie, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kreissler and family of Appleton City, Mo., spent the past week end here with relatives.

Mrs. Jennie Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardin of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Henry were dinner guests Sunday in the W. Merlin Henry home.

August Keseman is doing extensive repair work on his residence in the west part of town, known as the Hesse place, and Mr. and Mrs. George Stanfield and daughter will move there in the near future.

Miss Anna Lou Williams returned last Friday from a visit in Warrensburg with Miss Maxine Demand.

Misses Leona Henry, Addie Frances Love and Anna Marie Swearngin and Cecil Lane were among the number from here taking teachers exams at Warsaw last week.

Mrs. Ernest Wickham was taken to the Bothwell hospital last Saturday where she underwent an operation. Reports are that she is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allgaier and two daughters and Mrs. A. W. Allgaier visited in Pleasant Green Sunday with W. A. Mayfield and daughters, Misses Laura and Ruth. Mrs. Ewing Hurt and Mr. Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Williams and family of Arrow Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Larson were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Borchers and son and S. H. Williams northeast of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nething and family of New Haven, Mo., were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. John Gerken and family.

Miss Opal Eye of Appleton City visited a few days last week in the John Gerken home.

Misses Elsie and Viola Gerken of Sedalia were guests of their parents a few days last week.

One-Minute Pulpit

Be strong, and quit yourselves like men.—I Samuel 4:9.

Tipton Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnett left Friday for Kansas City, to be guests of their children, Edgar and Joe Barnett and their daughter, Miss Marian Barnett.

Arthur Yontz, Jr., of Tipton, Friday left with his aunt, Mrs. Lillie Schmidt and daughters, Misses Beatrice and Henrietta, of Fortuna, to motor to Washington, D. C., where Miss Beatrice has accepted the position of assistant mistress of studies in the Junior college of the Georgetown Visitation convent. Miss Schmidt is an honor graduate of the Tipton high school, the Warrensburg college and Peabody college of Nashville, Tenn.

Carl Ferguson and Clayton Glasgow motored to Fayette, Monday where Mr. Ferguson put some of his sheep on sale with success.

James H. Wright, who has been the manager of the Tipton Kroger store for the past eighteen months, was ordained to the ministry of the Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. O. E. Carlisle left Monday for a week's stay in Maryville, where she is being entertained by her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Leirman and Mr. Leirman.

Mrs. Ward Johnson, who is the home guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Larimore, was joined the past week by Mr. Johnson for a vacation visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Vanderhoof had as guests the past week, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vanderhof of Kansas City and three of their grand daughters, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vanderhof of Boonville.

Mrs. Sherman Grozier and two daughters, Betty and Donna, returned home Wednesday from near Omaha, Nebr., where the girls had spent the summer with Mrs. Grozier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Coventry.

Mrs. J. C. Collins was hostess on Tuesday to her afternoon contract club to whom she added some guests, seating four tables for play.

Mrs. D. C. Hardy was awarded club prize and Miss Mary Elizabeth Hays scored for the guest trophy. Mrs. Collins served a most tasteful lunch from the attractively dressed dining table, Mrs. Hardy and Miss Alice Hays assisting her in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoehn hsa at home with them, from Friday until Sunday, their daughter, Miss Hilma Hoehn of St. Louis.

Erskine Douglas, who has been an employe of the Schwickroth and Kline Hardware company, left Friday for Tulsa, Okla., where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Sam Thixton, wife of Tipton's city marshal, successfully underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Boonville hospital Wednesday morning and is beginning her convalescence.

Mrs. Charles Walch, who has been with her mother, Mrs. I. S. Ferguson, since the death of her father, left Friday morning for her home in Springfield, Mo. Mary Ann Walch will remain with her grandmother for a further stay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Finley and Mr. Finley's driver, John Albin, made a trip through north Missouri Friday. Mrs. Finley took with her as her guest on the trip, her great niece, Nancy Mildred Stark of Jefferson City, who is the house guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Hays is the guest of friends, in Metz, Missouri.

Miss Sally Newkirk has returned from a several days stay in Tulsa, Okla., the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Routzsong.

Messrs. and Mesdames A. L. Finley, A. R. Snorgrass, Mrs. W. A. Jordan and George Jordan of Jefferson City motored Sunday to Centralia, where they visited the lovely rock garden and grotto at the A. B. Chance home. Returning by way of Jefferson City they were evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Snorgrass' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Stark.

Mrs. S. W. Hurst, who has been a patient at the Boonville hospital for some two months, is at home, with her sisters, the Misses Lillian and Elizabeth Gilbert, at their country home.

Ionia Items

(By Mrs. Homer Howe)

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nicholson of Green Ridge visited Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Nicholson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Riecke and children, Max, Jr., and Melvin motored to Excelsior Springs Saturday where they visited with Mr. Riecke's brother, Ralph Riecke who is a patient in the Veterans hospital.

Mrs. James Myers of Green Ridge visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. H. A. Elliott and her nephew, John Knoop.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Saye and son, Allen, and Miss Geneve Freund left Wednesday for Oskaloosa where they will attend the conference of the Missouri Methodist Protestant churches.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson and children, Lois Pauline and Betty Jo visited Sunday with Mr. Robinson's sister, Mrs. Hal Haggard and Mr. Haggard of Sweet Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brown had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown of Windsor.

Miss Ethel Martin of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Anna Martin and her sister, Mrs. G. G. Williams and Mr. Williams.

Mrs. Ralph Riecke visited Saturday with her husband who is a patient in the Veterans hospital at Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. Carl Propp and children, Martha and Helen of Hamburg, Ia., visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood and family.

Evelyn Hampy who has been employed at Springfield has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hampy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Moss of Springfield are visiting a few days with Mrs. Moss' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood.

Louis Borman, while on a trip to St. Louis the past week was struck by a heavy transport truck. His truck was badly damaged and he suffered severe bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thoss of Versailles.

Mrs. Joe Milburn and two daughters of Columbia visited Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Milburn.

E. S. Marsh made a business trip to Kansas City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fischer and family of Johnson, Kas., visited over night Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood.

Mrs. A. A. Mahnken, Alice Anne Mahnken, Mrs. Kreisler, Betty Jane and Irma Lee Kreisler, Gladys and Eunice Christian, Ruth and Neola Harper and Mrs. J. T. Wood attended the 4-H Club Roundup at Sedalia Tuesday.

Mrs. Bessie Way and daughter, Elizabeth of Windsor visited from Sunday until Tuesday with her brother, J. D. Friedley and Mrs. Friedley.

Mrs. W. C. Tucker received word from her son, Allie Tucker at Clacentia, Calif., stating he had been in a holdup, was hit in the jaw with a pair of knucks, breaking his jaw. The robber got away with $17 in money.

Mrs. Robert Drake of Warsaw visited Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Williams.

Mrs. Ina Mouldin, Mrs. O. Van Wey and daughter, Lorraine and Mrs. Clarence Schnabel visited Thursday with Misses Nan and Margaret Mahnken.

Clifton City Items

(By Mrs. Add Johnson)

Miss Ruby Ross who has spent several months in Portland, Ind., where she has had employment, came Thursday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. F. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Wallace had as their guests at dinner Sunday E. E. Ferguson and daughters, Misses Gladys and Flossie of Sedalia and the Baptist minister of Olive Branch church.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dickson and children of Kansas City are spending this week at Clifton City with her mother, Mrs. C. B. Todd and other relatives and friends while Mr. Dickson visited one day at Pilot Grove with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cayton and expect to spend several days in St. Louis with relatives and friends before returning to Kansas City.

Miss Alice Blake returned to her home in Sedalia Saturday after a visit of several days with Miss Mary Jeanette Higdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug McCarty and daughter of Warsaw visited here Sunday with an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Bridges and also with Mr. McCarty's mother, Mrs. M. M. McCarty of Sedalia who has been a guest in the Bridges home for the past six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Siegel and family attended services at Lake Creek last Sunday where a camp meeting which is held annually is in progress.

The Clifton City grange is arranging for a picnic and program to be given on a vacant lot at Clifton City next Wednesday night. The most important feature of the program will be music furnished by the junior band from Smithton.

Misses Fannie Belle and Dorothy Perkins have returned home after a visit in Kansas City with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wells of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Friend of Windsor visited here Sunday with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marti.

Joe Knox and brother Birt Knox both of Kansas City were business viitors here Friday at their farms west of town.

Mrs. Add Johnson and Mrs. "Bud" Johnson were hostesses to the Ladies' Missionary Society of the M. E. church at the home of Mrs. Add Johnson Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ellis had as their guests over the week end a cousin, Mrs. Eva Bales and her granddaughter Miss Leota Bales of Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hedgepeth and daughter Jaimie Jean of Bunceton and two nieces Dorothy Ellen and Mary Delores Dix of Kansas City visited north of town with Mrs. Hedgpeth's brother's Jamie and Ernest Burke last Sunday.

Charlie Bidstrup and his sister, Miss Mary spent the week end in St. Louis with their brother Perry Bidstrup and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hussey had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ed Oerly of Pilot Grove and on Monday and Tuesday they entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. J. DeLong of Moberly.

Miss Margaret Harland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Hurt at Pleasant Green Wednesday and all attended the Cooper county fair at Prairie Home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Potter and family of Marshall visited here several days the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Potter.

The annual picnic given by members of the Catholic church here last Tuesday evening was very successful and one of the largest crowds ever assembled in this little town was present, not only from the community but from Sedalia, Kansas City, Boonville and other surrounding towns. A large sum was realized from the supper and other entertaining features.

Miss Kathryn Bidstrup and Miss Margaret Harlan have recently returned home from Columbia where they attended the summer session of school of the University of Missouri there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Quint of Sedalia visited here Sunday with his brother J. V. Quint and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harlan and son Bobby Dale of Springfield visited here Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harlan. Another son, Elmo Harlan, and wife of Sedalia were also guests in this home Sunday.

Large crowds have been in attendance at the revival which is being held at the Providence Baptist church west of town each night. Quite a few from the First Baptist church and also East Sedalia Baptist church are present each evening and are assisting in the services. Rev. Baker the pastor, is doing the preaching.

Houstonia Items

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bobbitt spent a few days in Kansas City with the Smidth family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crumpecker and daughter, Nadine and Miss Keen of Los Angeles, Calif., spent last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Sr.

Mrs. Charles Carlin was hostess to her regular bridge club members and two guests, Mrs. Ed Miller and Mrs. Wilburn Miller Thursday afternoon. The hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. James Martin and sons, Jas. and Lewis Lee, of Kansas City spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dorsey spent the week end in Jefferson City with Mr. and Mrs. Eaken Hurt.

Mrs. Maggie Hayworth entertained relatives and friends from Oklahoma a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert French and sons and their house guests, Misses Frances and Mary Dyer of Amity went to Winston Sunday where they met many other relatives in the Deiter family reunion. Harold French accompanied relatives to Maryville for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Robertson entertained at supper on Sunday evening the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Martin of Montrose, Colo. Haynes Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hayworth and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lockney.

Miss Gracie Powers is visiting relatives near Green Ridge.

Mrs. Lennie Robertson Wellman of Lamonte, Okla., came Saturday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Mamie Scott and other relatives.

Miss Maurine Dickerson is visiting relatives this week in Sweet Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eckles and family of Marshall spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eckles.

Miss Mary Hill of Sedalia, spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carlin spent Tuesday in Kansas with relatives and was accompanied home by their son, Jack, who had spent the past ten days with relatives in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown and family of Chanute, Kas., spent several days here last week with his brother.

Miss Ruth Herring is spending a few days in Minnesota.

Miss Fleta Davis has returned to Kansas City after a few days' visit here with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Davis and Woodrow Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Newsom and sons, returned Sunday from a week's vacation with relatives at Independence, Kas., and other points. They were accompanied home by Gene Estep of Parsons, who spent a few days in the Newsom home.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Newsom and family and guest, Gene Estep, spent Wednesday at Bagnell dam, where they were joined by friends from Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Bobbitt and daughter, Betty Jean, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hayworth and family, Misses Anna Mae and Lucile Howard of Syracuse, spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bobbitt and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Knowles and family. Anna Mae Howard remained for a longer visit in the Knowles home.

Several Houstonians attended the birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Yokeley Sunday, east of Sweet Springs, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Yokeley.

Mrs. Dora Vanatta and daughter, Miss Christine Vanatta, accompanied their daughter and sister, Mrs. P. E. Sitton to her home in Columbia last week for a visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pam Grinstead were Sunday guests in the J. T. Franklin home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and sons spent Sunday with relatives near Otterville.

Miss Hula Feasleman of Colorado spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Will Hoffman and family. Harland and Ola Mae Hoffman and aunt, Miss Feasleman, spent a few days this week with relatives at Higginsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Higgins of Lexington spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Higgins and family.

Mrs. Scott Higgins and son, Jimmie Dale, spent last week with relatives at Odessa.

Mrs. Fred Neef and son, Ellis made a business trip one day recently to Fayette to arrange for the son to enter school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Houchen and family had as Sunday dinner guests Mrs. Houchen's sister, Mrs. C. W. Harding and Mr. Harding of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark and family of Pittsville, Ill., are spending a few days here in the Brown home. Mr. Clark was formerly employed at the Panhandle Eastern Pipe line station before moving to Illinois with his family.

Miss Florence Rothrock spent Monday with her uncle in Sweet Springs.

Mrs. Ocie Wicker and daughter, Mrs. Trixie Houchen, Mrs. Russell Wicker and little daughter, Edith Anne have returned from a motor trip to Denver and the Grand Canyon, Colorado.

Rev. and Mrs. Lower of Madison, Wis., are visiting relatives east of town and in Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bodenhamer Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Yokeley, Rich Beason, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Pauley and son, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reed, son Merrill and daughter, Margie Dean Reed of Houstonia met many other relatives and friends Sunday at a surprise birthday dinner at the Jake Yokeley home east of Sweet Springs, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Jake Yokeley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ramseyer met other relatives and friends Sunday at Sweet Springs where all enjoyed a picnic supper on the lawn at the Pelot home. Mrs. Don Lamm and daughter of Sedalia also were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beard and family of Beaman were Sunday guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Schondelmier of east of town on rural route one received injuries Sunday afternoon on Highway 65, two miles south of Marshall Junction. To avoid hitting another car, Mr. Schondelmier went into a ditch wrecking his car. The children, Richard, Kenneth and Lois escaped with minor injuries. Mrs. Schondelmier suffered a sprained ankle and slight cuts. Mr. Schondelmier had a lacerated hand and bruises. They were brought to Houstonia to the home of Mrs. Schondelmier's mother, Mrs. G. T. Reid, where they received medical care from Dr. Parkhurst.

Warsaw Items

(By Josephine J. Crawford)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heibner of St. Louis spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Freeman and family and other relatives. Miss Miriam Freeman accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hunt and daughters Margaret and Rowena Hunt of Madison, S. D., and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hunt of Green Ridge visited here Saturday with the R. B. Petts and Fred Hunt families. Miss Margaret Hunt who won in the first division of the national high school music contest at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1936, played a Von Weber concerto, a clarinet solo at the concert on the court house lawn Saturday evening. Miss Rowena accompanied her on the piano.

Miss Ethel Martin of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. S. Drake and Mr. Drake.

Bobby Reid of Peculiar is visiting his uncle, T. A. Reid.

Mrs. Anna Calbert and Miss Lucille Calbert visited in Springfield Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calbert and family. Bobby Calbert who had been visiting here accompanied them home.

Ralph Butler of Kansas City visited here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Button.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Logan and daughter, Louise Ann of Pacific spent the week end here with his father, Dr. James A. Logan and Mrs. Logan.

Mrs. Virgil Crain of Garnett, Kas., visited here this week with her sister, Mrs. Earl Wright and Mr. Wright and son Moe and other relatives.

Noel Iiams of Rockville, Ind., joined Mrs. Iiams and children, Noel, Jr., and Audrey Ann in a week end visit here with his mother, Mrs. Elsie Iiams and family. Mrs. Iiams and children, after a month's visit here, returned home with him Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Davis and Miss Lora Davis of Tipton were here last week and rented the Mrs. Emil Heibner home and will move next week. Miss Davis will teach in the public schools here this year.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Singleton and children visited in Dadeville Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kirby. Bobby Singleton remained for a longer visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin visited Sunday near Climax Springs with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hilburn.

Glen Groomer of Quincy, Ill., is spending a week's vacation here with his sister, Mrs. Leo See and his uncle, John Groomer.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. House and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold House and two children of Kansas City visited here Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Roland Holloway and Mr. Holloway and family.

Mrs. Vernon Frieze visited in Kansas City Friday with her children, Marjorie and Stanley Frieze and her mother, Mrs. C. L. Whittimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hutsler and four children of Caldwell, Kas., came this week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Berry and brother Vaughn Berry, Mrs. Berry and son Bobby Joe.

J. W. Durham and son Nova left Saturday on a motor trip to Camino, Calif., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. French Laird and Mrs. J. S. Phillips were Kansas City visitors last Friday.

A family dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Freeman. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heibner, St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Logan and daughter, Louise Ann, Pacific; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heibner and son, William; Dr. and Mrs. James A. Logan and Mrs. Emil Heibner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bounds and two children arrived Wednesday from Crossett, Ark., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Young and Mr. Young and family.

Ed Wright and daughter Dorothy of Omaha, Neb., were week end guests here of his brother Earl Wright and family. Mrs. Wright and daughter Helen, who had visited heer the past month with her mother, Mrs. James West and Rev. West at Fristoe, returned home with them Sunday.

Lee Storer visited several days last week near Fairfield in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hosmann.

Mrs. Ada Duckworth, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. Eva Hurd near Sweet Springs and helping care for her brother Fred Billings, spent the week end here.

Miss Freda Hirsch went to Kansas City Wednesday where she will join friends in a three weeks motor trip to the state of California.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Savage entertained as their dinner guests Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Calbert of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Davis and son Jack of Ormond, Fla., Mrs. Armon Mayes of Amarillo, Texas, Mrs. Anna Calbert, Miss Lucille and George Calbert and Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Ahrens.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. White entertained as their guests last week end his sister Mrs. Lloyd Boucher and Mrs. Frank McCracken of Liberty, Friday Mrs. Boucher, Mrs. McCracken, Mrs. James A. Lay, Mrs. R. H. Ahrens and Miss Mary Lay were luncheon guests of Mrs. White at Roc-Krest Tavern.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Atkins and daughter Mary Lou and Mr. and Mrs. Thurlo Atkins were at Browning, Mo., Saturday and Sunday where they attended the old settlers reunion.

CUTTING SOYBEANS IS IMPORTANT

With the supply of good legume hays in Pettis county at probably the lowest point it has been in many years, it is especially important this year to harvest the soy bean crop to insure the best hay possible says County Agent J. [illegible] Morris.

Soybeans should be cut for hay before the leaves begin to fall, and immediately following the development of pods (not seed) on the upper branches or top of the central stem. When cut at this stage, the best hay is obtained from both feeding value and quality. Delayed harvesting increases the tonnage slightly but decreases the feed value through the loss of leaves and the development of hard, woody stem and bunch growth. Cutting soybeans for

ROPER FEARFUL OF FAVORITISM FROM EMBARGO

Anxious Nothing be Done To Sacrifice Proper Trade Relations

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Secretary Roper said today that "the situation is so unequal" in the undeclared war between Japan and China that application of the neutrality act might "put us in the position of favoring one nation." Roper told his press conference that "we don't want to do that."

"There is some question," he continued, "as to how effective application of neutrality embargoes might be in carrying out the purposes of our people to maintain peace."

The commerce department chief said that "we do not wish to sacrifice any proper trade relations." He added that Japan and China undoubtedly would turn to other markets for supplies if shipments from the United States were embargoed. This shift to other markets, Roper observed might be permanent because the countries would know they could rely on their new sources of materials in the event of a future conflict.

On capitol hill, Representative Fish (R-NY), ranking minority member of the house foreign affairs committee, termed the ordering of 1,200 additional marines to China "an utterly mistaken policy that may involve us in an Asiatic war."

Instead of sending over more marines, he said in a statement, armed forces in China and gunboats in China waters should be withdrawn.

"The trouble is," Fish added, "that President Roosevelt and Secretary Hull are internationalists, and delight in trying to interfere with other nations' affairs."

Roper said he assumed business men in this country would continue trading with Japan and China "with full knowledge of the barriers and circumstances that are likely to develop any day."

Roper made public a report showing the United States exported $140,325,000 of goods to Japan and bought $92,392,000 of Japanese products during the first five months of this year. Sales to China aggreated $26,256,000, and purchases from China $51,653,000.

CONGRESS COST AT ABOUT $50,000 A DAY

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—This session of congerss—one of the longest in recent years—will cost $12,000,000, or $50,000 a day.

Clerks made this estimate today on the basis of an eight-month session. They explained, however, that the actual cost of operating the legislative department for the entire year will be about $18,000,000.

The biggest item is that of salaries for members, secretaries, clerks, law-drafting experts, police, doorkeepers, janitors, pages and other personnel used in the law-making process.

While official figures were not available, it was estimated the congressional printing bill—including printing of the Congressional Record—will run close to $2,500,000 for the session.

Dumped under a miscellaneous heading totaling about $500,000 were such items as funerals for members, typewriters, newspapers, ice, laundry, office repairs, rent of warehouses for storage of documents, deficits of capitol restaurants, and mineral water for senators.

SYRACUSE CLUB TO HAVE RALLY DAY

The Syracuse Homemaker Club will sponsor a rally day Saturday, August 28th at the school building. The morning will be spent socially. At the noon hour a lunch will be served.

Promptly at one o'clock the program will begin with the president, Mrs. C. J. Neltzert, presiding.

The following clubs have been invited to take part on the probram: Stover, County Line, Glenstead, Burford, Lone Star, Byberry, Lone Oak and Victory.

The 4-H Club leader, Mrs. John Engle and her 4-H Club girls will give a demonstration and style show. Special music will be furnished during the program. In the evening the H. S. orchestra will furnish the music.

County Agent Crawford will be present and talk on 4-H Club work.

SYRACUSE HOME MAKERS MEETING

The Syracuse Homemakers Club met in the Syracuse school with [illegible] members and two guests present. The program included social conversation in the morning, a luncheon at noon, and garden discussion in the afternoon.

The book "Gone With the Wind" was reviewed in the afternoon. Roll call was answered by "The Last Book I Read".

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. C. Porter September 2. Officers for 1938 will be elected at this meeting.

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"I suppose," said the woman to [illegible] before he issued his denial.

the bus conductor, "if I pay fare for my dog he will be treated the same as other passengers and be allowed to occupy a seat?"

"Of course, madam," the conductor replied, politely, "he will be treated the same as other passengers, and can occupy a seat, provided he does not put his feet on it."

YOUTH KIDNAPS PILOT OF PLANE

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 19.—(AP)—A youth giving the name of Jack Hamerly, 19, was held last night on a kidnaping charge after the mid-air abduction of an airplane pilot.

The youth was quoted by detectives Arch Spreadley and Ira Williams as admitting he drew a pistol on Pilot Bob Hunt 2,000 feet in the air and ordered him to fly to Laredo.

The forced flight ended when Hunt snatched his captor's pistol as the latter bartered with a farmer near Rosenberg for gasoline to continue the hop.

Hunt said Hamerly arrived at the Houston airport in a taxicab. Cab driver Bill Ray said the cab was taken from him at pistol point near the airport.

The aviator said the youth went up with him in the plane, which belonged to Francis Walton, pretending he planned to take flying lessons from Hunt.

"About 2,000 feet in the air," Hunt said, "the boy poked a pistol in my back and told me to head for Laredo. I told him I didn't have enough gasoline and had no money. The boy said, 'Never mind, we'll just mooch some gasoline.'

"I set the plane down at the first convenient spot, which proved to be a field on Harlem State Prison farm. When the boy discovered we were on the prison farm, he made me take off again without waiting to look for gasoline."

Later Hunt landed in a pasture near Rosenberg. Hamerly started negotiations with a farmer for some gasoline. Hunt slipped around behind his abductor, grabbed the pistol and sent for officers.

FIND SHORTAGE OF ABOUT $22.751

MOBERLY, Mo., Aug. 18.—Auditors reported to city officials today a $22,751 shortage has been uncovered in the accounts of Roy E. Grubbs, former city collector, now serving a prison sentence for arson, embezzlement and destruction of public records.

Grubbs was given a 5-year sentence last April after confessing he set fire to his office in an attempt to destroy records.

Auditors said the full amount of the shortage could not be determined since 1936 tax records were destroyed in the fire.

FOUR DIE IN BLAST ON A DESTROYER

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 18.—An exploding steam pipe killed four workmen on the U. S. destroyer Cassin today and injured eight enlisted men and three civilian employes at the Philadelphia navy yard.

The dead are Joseph Vassiluzzi, Michael Scavo and William Mehl, all of Philadelphia, and George Driesback of Oaklyn, N. J.

The injured are Lieutenant Henry N. Marshall, engineering officer of the new destroyer; B. H. Phillips, T. L. Athey and A. L. Kohlstrom, firemen; A. E. Bryan, C. L. Minnehan, John Koi and W. T. McCallum, water tenders; Jerome Sullivan, Louis Sherby of Philadelphia and Daniel Vautier of Camden, N. J., navy yard employes.

Lieutenant Commander William W. Behrens, aid to the commandant of the navy yard, said that the fire room where the explosion occurred was "still too hot" for a board of inquiry to investigate the cause of the explosion.

The Cassin, one of the navy's newest destroyers, was in drydock at the navy yard for repairs when the exploding steam pipe showered the men in the fire room with metal and scalding steam. The injured were suffering from serious burns.

The destroyer was constructed at the yard and launched October 29, 1935.

DENIES SQUIRTING WINE ON MAYOR

PARIS, Aug. 18.—John Roosevelt, youngest son of President Roosevelt, told the Associated Press tonight that he did not squirt champagne at the mayor of Cannes or hit him with a bouquet of flowers at a festival Sunday.

The mayor's aides had said the President's son was the person who thus greeted him during Cannes' battle of flowers.

"The first inkling I had of the whole situation was when a London newspaper called me here in Paris early today," young Roosevelt said.

"I have no idea how the situation came up.

"I never met the mayor of Cannes. I don't know anything about it. If that did happen (the champagne and flower episode) it could have been nothing else but a case of mistaken identity.

"It certainly must have been somebody else."

The President's son said it was true that he was "riding around" in a carriage during the Cannes fete. Asked if he saw an attack on the mayor, he replied that "none took place in my presence."

Young Roosevelt conferred with American Ambassador William C.

READILY ADMITS TRUNK MURDER

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Nonchalantly, Joseph Ogden, 36, stood in the lineup at police headquarters today and told how he killed his roommate, Oliver George Sinecal, 25, an ex-convict, and then stuffed his nude body into a trunk and attempted to ship it by railroad express to Memphis, Tenn.

Captured less than nine hours after the crime was discovered Ogden appeared indifferent as he faced the darkened roomful of Manhattan detectives.

He was questioned by Acting Captain John G. Stein.

"You shot and killed this man?"

"Yes."

"Where did you shoot him?"

"In the head."

Ogden was arrested after detectives traced the number "839," chalked on the side of the murder trunk, to the alleged slayer's street address.

The body of Sinecal, a small time thief with a transcontinental police record, was discovered when railway express employes saw blood dripping from the trunk yesterday.

Detective Captain Edward Mullins said Ogden told him Sinecal had been shot while they struggled for possession of a gun.

Ogden, who was booked on a homicide charge, said Sinecal had beaten him up during a recent quarrel, Captain Mullins related.

TWO ARMY FLIERS KILLED IN CRASH

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18. — The war department said today that Colonel William C. McChord and Staff Sergeant Michael J. O'Connell of the air corps were killed today in an airplane crash near Goochland, Va.

McChord was officer in charge of operations in the office of the chief of the army air corps. O'Connell was stationed at Bolling Field.

They were en route in a two-place attack plane, the department said, from Bolling Field to Atlanta "on a routine cross-country flight."

AWARDS IN 4-H CLUB CONTESTS

COLUMBIA, Mo., Aug. 18.—Winifred Lightle, 18, of Blockow, and Denzel Pullian, 17, of Cokgill, were chosen Missouri's healthiest 4-H club girl and boy, respectively, here today as the organization5s five-day state roundup passed the halfwal mark.

Miss Lightle, graded 98.5 per cent perfect, and young Pullian, 98 per cent, will represent the state in the national health contest. County champions were examined by the state health department officials.

BABE BORN AFTER RESCUE PLUNGE

By The Associated Press.

CLINTON, Ind., Aug. 19.—Slightly-built Mrs. Glenn McGow, who gave birth to a 6½ pound son six hours after plunging into a well to rescue her two-year-old daughter, said today she hoped "I will never get that close to so much water again."

Mrs. McGow, 30, wife of a relief worker, explained she always had a "deathly fear" of water and never even enjoyed wading.

"But I forgot all about that when I saw Mary Nell fall," Mrs. McGow said. "I ran about 25 feet, looked down and saw her blue eyes. I couldn't stand that and jumped in head first."

The well contained eight feet of water, and Mrs. McGow is only five feet, two inches tall

A son, Charles, 11, who was drawing water prior to the mishap, threw a rope to his mother, held the other end and screamed for help.

Dick McLeish, a neighbor, heard Charles, hurried to the scene and held the woman and her child above water until four men lifted them out.

Mrs. McGow was unconscious two hours after the rescue and gave birth to the boy four hours later yesterday. The baby was born three weeks prematurely.

Physicians said Mrs. McGow, Mary Nell and the baby were "out of danger" today.

MEAT COSTS MAY SOON BE LOWER

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Meat consumers' pocketbooks now being burned by last year's drought, may get substantial relief before the year ends, livestock market diagnosis indicated today.

Recent declines in wholesale pork prices, market experts said, may presage lower meat costs soon for retail buyers. Some beef and pork cuts now are the highest in seven years or more.

Although it has been a year since the broiling sun was burning up livestock feed and rains since have drenched the grain belt, the full financial effect of the drought now is being felt in the city. Last week prices of hogs and cattle were highest in 11 and nine years respectively. Chicago retail meat prices, representative of many sections of the nation, accordingly have risen 12 to 31 per cent for beef, 14 to 33 per cent for lamb and 6 to 35 per cent for pork since the first of the year.

Experts said the possibility of a general recession in meat hinged largely on the harvest of big grain crops this year.

Marriage License Isused

Edward P. Allen, Lebanon, and Mae Bellows, Kansas City.

Smithton Items

(By Esther Grotjan)

Mrs. C. C. Taylor and daughters of Kansas City visited last week at the home of Mrs. Taylor's uncle, James Williams.

Everett Monsees of Kansas City spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Monsees.

W. S. Kroschen of Chicago, Ill., visited with his grandmother, Mrs. Reecca Kroschen last week.

Miss June Winstead of Kansas City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wenstead.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swanson of Kansas City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith.

Mrs. Vernon Monseés returned to her home Saturday from the Bothwell hospital where she had been a patient for several weeks.

Miss Juanita Morris of Marshall visited at the Stanley Smith home Friday evening.

Mrs. Lizzie Bohon visited with her niece Mrs. Mason Riley and Mr. Riley near Sedalia last week.

Word has been received of the arrival of Donald Bruce Mays August 11 at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mays of Appleton City, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Mays and family formerly lived in the Margaret Homan apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Knox of San Francisco arrived Tuesday to spend their vacation with Mr. Knox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Knox and other relatives. Lloyd Hayden Knox who has been visiting there returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pestorius of South Haven, Kas., were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. B. Weifenbauch.

Homer Henley of Pleasant Hill, the instructor for industrial art and science of Smithton high school, and Robin Stockman of Malta Bend, principal and music instructor of Smithton high school, were in Smithton Tuesday planning their work and also secured rooms at Mrs. Rose B. Meyer's home.

E. W. Goetz left Sunday for Hastings, Neb., where he was called by the death of his brother Charles.

Mrs. Rose B. Myers is visiting several days this week at the home of her son Forrest of Fulton.

Mrs. W. A. Martin and children left last week for Colorado to be with her father, William Champion who is seriously ill.

Prof. J. M. Harris has resigned his position as music instructor in the Smithton schools for a position in the Hardin schools.

Misses Lenora Hockaday, Cora Lee Henderson and G. W. Wheatley spent the week end in Springfield with relatives.

Misses Gladys, Genevieve Smith, Verona Neumeyer and Audlen Neumeyer were Kansas City visitors last week.

Mrs. Schupp of Florence is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Haucher.

Mrs. Gus Bucksath and daughters Lorine and Pauline of Dalton, Mo., are visiting with Mrs. Bucksath's sisters Mrs. R. R. Lujin and Miss Esther Grotjan.

Mrs. Lowell Monsees of Phoenix, Ariz., is visiting with Mr. Monsees' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S Monsees.

Mr. and Mrs. Melford Monsees of Kansas City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Monsees' mother, Mrs. Tena Monsees.

Ora Martin of St. Louis is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Martin, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ramseyer and daughter Lorene and Helen Smith are spending their vacation in the south. They are also attending the Ramseyer family reunion in their old home town in Tennessee.

Miss Tab Ellison of Wheaton, is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellison.

Earl Homan Bartley of Otterville had a major operation performed by Dr. Osborne at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Homan on Saturday morning. He is doing nicely.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Brown and son Leonard of St. Louis, pastor of Bowmen church, and Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hicks of Jamestown were guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. I. LaRue last week.

Mrs. Gus Bucksath and daughters Lorene and Pauline of Dalton, Mrs. R. R. Lujin and son Lilburn are visiting several days this week with Mrs. Bucksath and Mrs. Lujin's brother, C. H. Grotjan and Mrs. Grotjan of Holden. Jean and Beth Grotjan who have been visiting here returned home with them.

FATALLY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Elliott Coe Clark, third son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark of the old Wanamaker community, was fatally injured in an automobile accident Thursday morning, near Phoenix, Ariz.

Mr. Clark, 24 years old, was driving a transport truck at the time of the accident.

Surviving him are his widow, his parents and three brothers, William and Roy, who reside on farms near Hughesville in Pettis county, and Roger of the home.

Mr. Clark was born and reared near Wanamaker. He went to Colorado a few years ago and was married three years ago in Denver. After spending a short time in San Francisco, Calif., they moved early this spring to Phoenix.

The funeral and burial will be at Phoenix.

M. D. WEATHERS MADE OFFICER

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Aug. 19.—(AP)—A resolution favoring a referendum on the one-cent Missouri gasoline tax increase was adopted by the state Retail Grocers Association at its annual convention ended heer Wednesday.

Officers re-elected are E H. Glenn, Kansas City, president; Victor Maurath, St. Louis, first vice-president; Phil Fischer, St. Louis, second vice-president; John Mannschreck, St. Joseph, third vice-president; M. D. Weathers, Sedalia, fourth vice-president; William Thompson, Joplin, fifth vice-president; John T. Westfall, St. Louis, secretary; George B. Croner, Kansas City, treasurer, and Jim Brown, Kansas City, sergeant-at-arms.

No site was selected for the 1938 convention, to be held in October.

SUIT TO CANCEL DEED OF TRUST

A suit to cancel a deed of trust and restrain foreclosure of an eighty acre farm south of Smithton, was filed in the circuit court by August Buttemeier, administrator of the estate of Rudy E. Rehmer deceased, Rudy E. Rehmer, Jr., Quincy A. Rehmer, Gertrude Lucille Rehmer, Geneva Fay Rehmer, minors by and through their legally appointed, qualified and acting guardian and curator August Buttemeier against Emil P. Rehmer, Henry W. Rehmer, Herman C. Rehmer, Edward Rehmer, Margaret Rehmer, William Rehmer, minor, Mary Catherine Rehmer, minor Emil P. Rehmer and Henry W. Rehmer administrator of the estate of George Rehmer, deceased and William L. Marlin, sheriff of Pettis County.

The two Rehmer brothers, Rudy Rehmer and George A. Rehmer died about fifteen minutes apart and the heirs of Rudy Rehmer are alleging a $2,000 mortgage note was paid by virtue of a previous arrangement.

W. W. Blain is attorney for the plaintiff.

FINAL DIVIDEND ON CITIZENS' BANK

The fourth and final dividend of the Citizens National Bank, which closed November 2, 1931, will be paid, checks to be ready for distribution Wednesday, W. L. Koenig, receiver, announced this moning. The dividend will amount to 5.8 per cent, which with the previous 42½ per cent paid makes a total of 48⅜ per cent.

The 5.8 per cent dividend amounts $103,129.43.

All checks must be called for before September 1 when those unclaimed will be sent to the department in Washington. No check will be given out without the receiver's certificate.

All records of the Sedalia National Bank have been sent to Washington, D. C., and there were 1,026 unclaimed checks, amounting to $1,449.

HARLEM'S "GOD" IS ANNOYED BY SUITS

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—There was little jubilation on Harlem's "No. 1 heaven" today.

Less than a ton of roast chicken was consumed; the shouts of "peace, it's wonderful" and "thank you, Father" could scarcely be heard a block away; the stamping of feet in unison was reduced to a rumble no louder than a passing subway train.

For Father Divine, the shinypated, slightly built Negro cult leader has threatened to "outmiracle" himself.

"Father's disgusted," said his attorney, Arthur A. Madison. "He has just about decided to evaporate for 1900 years."

A plague of lawsuits, brought by disgruntled "angels" who want more than $20,000, has definitely annoyed Harlenm's "god."

But his followers were not the only ones worried by his threat to "evaporate."

Attorney William W. Lesselbaum hurried into state supreme court, and on the ground that a threatened disappearance for 1900 years might further delay disposition of legal proceedings against Father Divine, asked for the immediate posting of a $20,000 bond, or appointment of a receiver for all of the Divine "heavens."

Lesselbaum is counsel for Mrs. Verinda Brown, Negro ex-"angel," who wants back $4,000 she says she gave Divine in exchange for a promise of everlasting life. The attorney told Justice Lloyd Church he believes a "revolt of the angels" in Father's Divine's "heavens" is in progress. He said:

"It seems probable there will be a general run for cover and that many "angels" named defendants in this action may attempt to take whatever property stands in their own names."

Justice Church will hear further arguments tomorrow.

DR. TITSWORTH TO HOSPITAL AT ST. LOUIS

Dr. Guy Titsworth was taken to the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis Wednesday morning, accompanied by an interne from the St. Louis hospital who came to Sedalia for him.

Dr. Titsworth, an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, is one of the Missouri Pacific doctors.

CORNERSTONE FOR NEW POST OFFICE

CALIFORNIA, Mo., Aug. 19.—Jesse M. Donaldson, acting first assistant Postmaster General, Washington, D. C., attended cornerstone laying ceremonies for the new $67,000 postoffice here Wednesday.

Congressman W. L. Nelson also was present. Col. Albert Linzwiler, postmaster at Jefferson City, served as acting grand master of the Masonic order in its part of the ceremony. L. P. Embry, California attorney, was master of ceremonies.

Postmasters of the second Missouri district met after the dedication with Leonard Moore, California postmaster, as host.

POLICE ARREST BOY WITH CASE OF BEER

Harry Paxton, aged 12, was taken in custody Wednesday night by Patrolman J H. Brooks, and is being held for questioning concerning a case of beer he was carrying on the handlebars of his bicycle.

The officer saw the youth riding on Moniteau avenue with the package on his handlebars. He stopped to investigate, the boy tried to turn the bicycle around and the package, a case of Falstaff beer, fell off.

Upon being questioned Paxton is said by the officer to have been impudent and asked, "Well, what can you do about it?"

He was turned over to Mrs. Claude Brown, juvenile officer today. His case will be taken up with Judge Dimmitt Hoffman Friday and either given a hearing then, or haxe a date set for a hearing.

PICKETS STOP WORK ON POSTOFFICE

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 18.—Carthage pickets stopped construction on Springfield's $700,000 postoffice for the third time today when an 11-ton load of stone from the Carthage Marble Corporation was delivered on the project. Eighty union men walked off when the pickets appeared with a sign proclaiming the marble company is unfair to union labor.

Leading the pickets today, as on former occasions when attempts were made to deliver stone, was Carl Bridges.

According to Carthage sources Bridges has been working all summer on the Carthage municipal park WPA project as a stone-setter. Yesterday he was photographed walking along a scaffold with a measuring stick in his hand at the entrance gates of the park.

The stone was the same load J. H. Trent of Carthage tried to deliver Friday. Pickets appeared then, and it was sent back to Carthage so that work could be resumed.

Today Trent arrived on the poject at 9:45 o'clock, and it was more than an hour before the pickets organized. In that time 30 slender pieces for sills and several large chunks had been unloaded.

The men working on the project are necessarily in sympathy with the pickets, but refuse to work behind them, according to union rules.

RETIRED DRUGGIST BORN IN SEDALIA DIES AT CAPITAL

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 18.—Nicholas Keilman, 56, retired Jefferson City druggist, died last night at Jefferson Barracks hospital, near St. Louis. Keilman was born in Sedalia, but had lived here most of his life. He served in the Spanish-American, the Philippine and World wars.

Real Estate Transfers

Richard H. Bryant and wife to Thomas P Ward. WD. Property on N side of St. Louis St., between Lamine and Washington Ave.—$500.

Fred MacChesney and wife to United States of America. WD. 80 acres of land more or less in Longwood Twp.—$3,880.

C. H. Bard, trustee, to Donnorue Loan and Investment Company. Tr's D. Property on N side of Pettis St., between Mo. and Grand Ave.—$75.

Thomas Yount, trustee, to Donnohue Loan and Investment Company. Tr's D. Property on S side of Johnson St., between Lamine and Washington Ave.—$100.

J. W. Roach and wife to Clover H. Dickeson and Nelle Dickeson. WD. 96 2-3 acres of land, more or less, in Prairie Twp.—$2,700.

Alonzo Snow et al to J. Emmett Hurley. WD. Lot on S. side of 7th street between Quincy and Park Ave.—$1.00 and other consideration.

Georgia Capes to R. G. Capes. QCD. Property on W side of Stewart Ave., between 18th and 20th Sts.—$1.00 and other consideration.

Charles H. Albers, receiver, to R. L. Beaman. QCD. Tract of land in Heaths Creek Twp.—$1,350.

Carl C. Guier and wife to Ruth Harris Packard. WD. Property in town of Houstonia.—$450.

DAILY POULTRY AND EGG MARKET

(Furnished By Swift and Co.)

The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of feed:

No. 2 poultry paid for at market value.
Fowl over 4½ pounds 18½c
Fowl, 4½ pounds and under 15½c
Leghorn fowl 13½c
Spring, over 2 pounds 21c
Springs, under 2 pounds 20c
Leghorn springs 19c
Cox, over 4½ pounds 11c
Cox, 4½ pounds and under 10c

FRESH EGGS

No. 1 eggs 17c
No. 2 eggs 13c
Butterfat cream 32c

CATTLE & GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 8,000; generally 10 to 15 cents higher than Wednesday's average: butchers from 250 pounds up 15 to 25 cents higher; top $12.90; bulk good and choice 180 to 230 pounds $12.60 to $12.85; 240 to 300 pounds $12.00 to $12.60; few loads outstanding butchers 315 to 330 pounds $12.20; most good packing sows $10.60 to $11.25; few best light weights on the butcher order $11.35 to $11.40.

Cattle 5,000; calves 1,500; very moderate supply strictly grain fed steers and yearlings steady; medium to good grades weak to 25 cents lower, very dull; best fed steers $17.90; several loads $16.50 to $17.75 with 1,000 pound yearlings at inside price; trade dependable on kinds of value to sell at $15.00 upward, but very unreliable on others; she stock steady, but slow and uneven; bulls 10 to 25 cents lower; vealers steady, top $11.50; cutter cows $4.25 to $5.50; grass heifers $6.50 to $8.50; practical top weighty sausage bulls $7.00.

Sheep 9,000; spring lambs active, 10 to mostly 25 cents higher; four doubles choice Utahs $11.00; natives $10.50 to $10.65; choice bld $10.75, held higher; merely good rangers $10.00; sheep steady; slaughter ewes $4.00 to $5.00; top $5.25; good range feeding lambs $10.25.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Aug. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 4,000; none through; 600 direct; market fairly active, 10 to 20 cents higher; top $12.80 paid for one load; bulk 170 to 240 pounds $12.60 to $12.75; load of 280 to 290 pounds $12.10; packers buying $12.60 down; 140 to 160 pounds $11.50 to $12.10; 100 to 130 pounds $9.50 to $11.10; good sows $10.50 to $11.25.

Cattle 4,000; calves 3,000; very few native steers meeting limited inquiry; other classes opening steady; but heifers and medium cowstuff very slow; early sales heifers and mixed yearlings largely $6.00 to $9.00; beef cows $5.25 to $7.50; few up to $9.00; cutters and low cutters $4.00 to $4.75; top sausage bulls $6.75; top vealers $11.00; nominal range slaughter steers $6.75 to $16.75, slaughter heifers $5.50 to $15.50.

Sheep 3,000; opening steady to weak; choice native lambs to small killers $10.50; packers talking lower; early saleable supplies mainly native lambs.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 1,500; no directs; uneven; 250 pounds down fairly active; 10 to 20 cents higher than Wednesday's average; heavier weights slow, steady to weak; top $12.60; good to choice 170 to 250 pounds $12.35 to $12.60; few 260 to 320 pounds $11.75 to $12.30; sows $9.75 to $10.75; stock pigs 25 cents lower, $11.50 down.

Cattle 3,500; calves 700; indications steady on few loads fed steers and yearlings offered; prices uneven, generally steady to strong; she stock, limited supply, slow, steady to weak; vealers and calves steady; stockers and feeders unchanged; fed steers held upward to $14.75; three loads well conditioned 1017 pound grass steers $11.50; common light weights fairly numerous, $6.75 to $8.00; most grass heifers $7.50 down; butcher cows $5.00 to $7.25; vealer top $10.00.

Sheep 6,000; killing classes steady to 15 cents lower; early top native lambs $9.85; choice Colorados held at $10.00; most sales natives $9.00 to $9.75; slaughter ewes $3.00 to $3.90.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Wheat: 316 cars; ¼ to 3 cents lower. No. 2 dark hard $1.10½ to $1.11; No. 3, $1.06 to $1.10; No. 2 hard, $1.07¼ to $1.08¾; No. 3, $1.03½ to $1.06¼; No. 2 red $1.07¾; No. 3, $1.02½ to $1.08¼.

Close: Sept. $1.00¾; Dec. $1.03; May $1.05¼.

Corn: None; unchanged to 1½ cent lower. No. 2, white, nominal $1.03½ to $1.13¼; No. 3 nominal $1.12½ to $1.15¼; No. 2 yellow, nominal $1.06 to $1.09¼; No. 3 nominal $1.07½ to $1.12¼; No. 2 mixed, nominal $1.07½ to $1.10¼; No. 3, nominal $1.03 to $1.07¾.

Close: Sept. 89¾c; Dec. 64⅛c; May 65⅝c.

Oats: 5 cars; unchanged; No. 2 white nominal 29c to 31c; No. 3, 29½c.

Milo maize, nominal $1.47 to $1.56.

Kafir, nominal $1.39 to $1.47.

Rye, nominal 75c to 77c.

Barley, nominal 45c to 65c.

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Sedalia, Mo.

Kansas City Grain Table

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—

	High	Low	Close Thurs.	Close Wed.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.03¼	$1.00¼	$1.00¾	$1.03⅜
Dec	$1.05⅜	$1.02¼	$1.03	$1.05½
May	$1.07⅜	$1.05	$1.05¼	$1.07⅝
CORN—				
Sept	.91¼	.89¾	.89¾	.97⅜
Dec	.65	.64	.64⅛	.65⅝

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Thurs.	Close Wed.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.10⅜	$1.06¾	$1.07	$1.10⅝
Dec	$1.12¼	$1.08¾	$1.09	$1.12⅛
May	$1.14¼	$1.10⅞	$1.11	$1.14¼
CORN—				
Sept	.99¼	.97⅝	.98	.99¼
Dec	.66⅞	.65⅜	.65⅝	.67⅜
May	.68¼	.66⅞	.66⅞	.68⅝
OATS—				
Sept	.30	.29¾	.29¾	.29⅞
Dec	.29½	.29¼	.29¼	.29½
May	.30⅜	.30½	.30½	.30⅞
SOY BEANS—				
Oct	.96½	.96¼	.96¼	.98
Dec	.96	.95	.95¼	.97
May	—	—	.98¼	$1.00
RYE—				
Sept	.81⅛	.80	.80	.80½
Dec	.78⅛	.77½	.77½	.78¼
May	.80	.78	.78	.79

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Cash—Wheat: No. 2 red $1.10½; No. 3, $1.05½ to $1.08½.

Corn: None.

Oats: No. 3 white 31½c.

Futures, close—

Wheat: Sept. $1.06; Dec. $1.08¾.

Corn: Dec. 65¾c sellers; May 67c sellers.

Oats: Sept. 30c bid; Dec. 29¼c bid; May 30¾c bid.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Poultry, live, 34 trucks; hens steady; chickens firm; hens 4½ pounds up 21c; less than 4½ pounds 19½c; Leghorn hens 16½c; fryers, colored 21½c; Plymouth Rock 24c; White Rock 23c; springs, colored 21½c; Plymouth Rock 24c; turkeys, hens 17c; toms 16c; No. 2 turkeys 15c; young ducks, white and colored, 4½ pounds up 18c; small white 16c; old geese 13c; young 15c.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Butter, 12,003, firm: creamery specials (93 score) 33c to 33½c; extras (92 score) 32½c; extras firsts (90-91 score) 32c to 32¼c; firsts (88-89 score) 29¾c to 30¾c; seconds (84-87½ score) 25c to 28½c; standards (90 score centralized carlots) 32c.

Eggs 9,658, steady; extra firsts local 20¼c; cars 20½c; fresh graded firsts local 19½c; cars 20c; current receipts 18½c.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Eggs; Missouri standards 19½c; Missouri No. 1, 17c; current receipts 15½c; undergrades 13½c.

Butter: Creamery extras 32c to 32½c; standards 32c; firsts 28½c; seconds 27½c.

Butterfat: No. 1, 30c; No. 2, 28c.

Cheese: Northern Twins 18½c.

Poultry: Hens 13 to 19c; Leghorns 10c to 13c; springs 21c to 22c; spring Leghorns 20c; turkeys, hens 14c to 16c; toms 11½c to 13½c; No. 2, 9c; ducks, spring 11c to 13c; old 6c to 8c; geese 5c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Produce: Eggs 18½c.

Creamery butter 32½c; butterfat 28c to 30c; packing butter 15c.

Poultry: Hens 13c to 18½c; roosters 9½c to 11½c; springs 20c to 22c; broilers 22c to 23c.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

In the matter of the adoption of Jackie Dean Smith: State of Missouri to Albert Smith and Tessie Johns, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in the Juvenile Division of the Circuit of Pettis County, Missouri, by J. H. Brooks and Eva Brooks, husband and wife, for the purpose of securing a decree of adoption of Jackie Dean Smith, a minor under the age of 12 years, and praying that the name of the said Jackie Dean Smith be changed to that of John Irvin Brooks, and that said Jackie Dean Smith be decreed to the child of said J. H. Brooks and Eva Brooks, husband and wife, which said action is returnable to the said Circuit Court on the fourth day of October, 1937, at the Court House in the City of Sedalia in the County and State aforesaid, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend this action. Otherwise said petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

It is further ordered that copy of this order be published in the Sedalia Weekly Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation in Pettis County, Missouri, for four weeks successively, at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least 15 days before the return day hereof.

(Seal) J. H. PERDUE,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Pettis County, Missouri.
A true copy from the record.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By reason of default in payment of interest due February 1st, 1936, and interest due February 1st, 1937 on indebtedness secured by deed of trust from Wilson Harbit and wife, Emma Harbit, dated December 14th, 1926, recorded December 21, 1926 in Book 320, Page 287, of the records of Pettis County, Missouri, conveying to The Davis-Wellcome Missouri Mortgage Company, as trustee, the following described real estate in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

South Half (S½) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Five (5) and East Half (E½) of Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Eight (8), Township Forty-four (44) North, Range Twenty-three (23) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less,

the undersigned substituted trustee, appointed by the owner and holder of said indebtedness under the terms of said deed of trust, will at the request of said owner, sell said real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, at the west front door of the Pettis County Court House in Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, August 24th, 1937 between the hours of nine o'clock A. M., and five o'clock P. M., of said day to pay said indebtedness and costs of sale.

H. C. HIRNI,
Substituted Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By reason of default in payment of indebtedness secured by deed of trust from John D. Choplin, a single man, dated February 25th, 1925, recorded March 2nd, 1925, in Book 307, Page 73, of the records of Pettis County, Missouri, conveying to The Davis-Wellcome Missouri Mortgage Company, as trustee, the following described real estate in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

All that part of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Northwest Quarter (NW¼) and of Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of SouthWest Quarter (SW¼) lying East of the Public Road, containing Sixty-five and Forty-six Hundredths (65.46) acres, more or less; also Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and Seventeen and One-half (17½) acres off of West Side of Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Northeast Quarter (NE¼), all in Section Nine (9), Township Forty-seven (47) North, Range Twenty-three (23) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, less One and Fifty-four Hundredths (1.54) acres in NE¼ SW¼ and NW¼ SE¼ Section 9, Township 47 North, Range 23 West, containing in all One hundred Twenty-one and Forty-two hundredths (121.42) acres, more or less,

the undersigned substituted trustee, appointed by the owner and holder of said indebtedness under the terms

Houstonia Items

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

Miss Myrtle B. Butts will present her piano pupils in a recital at the Houstonia Baptist church Thursday evening, August 19 at eight o'clock. Miss Mable De Witt of Sedalia, will assist with numbers on the program. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Ruth Harris Packard of St. Louis, came Saturday for a ten days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Sr.

Miss Elsie Elizabeth Wiley accompanied by others is spending a few days in Detroit with relatives.

Jimmie Harris spent several days last week with relatives in Kansas City.

Miss Olive Beard of near Beaman, spent last week with her cousin, Clocile Hyatt. Miss Hyatt accompanied her to her home at Beaman Sunday for a two weeks' visit with relatives.

The Chamberlain relatives held their annual family reunion Sunday at the Pertle Springs park.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams and family spent the week-end with Mrs. Williams parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cartee.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoffman and family spent Sunday with relatives near Higginsville. Their two children, Olla Mae and Harland Hoffman, who had spent the past week at Higginsville, returned to their home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hyatt and family spent Sunday with relatives near Beaman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of near Malta Bend, Mo., spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. F. W. Heuben returned to her home Sunday after spending several weeks at Malta Bend and Kansas City with her children, Mrs. Harry Vaughn and daughter Sue, of Kansas City accompanied her mother, Mrs. Hueben home for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hayworth and baby of near St. Louis, spent one day last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Hayworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bobbitt and children, Ruby H. and "Sonny Boy" of Paynesville, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Harris and son, Jack Harris and Dick Combs of Kansas City, spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Harris and Mrs. Georgia Tevebaugh.

Mrs. Dora Vanatta and daughter, Miss Christine Vanatta returned Saturday from a ten day visit with relatives in Columbia and Jefferson City.

Miss Helen Chamberlain who graduated this summer from the C. M. S. T. C., Warrensburg, will teach in the grades near Gravois Mills, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Newsom and sons spent the week-end with relatives at Mokane and Jefferson City.

Mrs. Jack Morris was hostess to her bridge club and several guests on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Higgins entertained her Friday bridge club on Friday afternoon at her country home.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church meets Wednesday afternoon at the church with Mrs. J. T. Franklin as leader.

Misses Mary and Frances Dyer returned to their homes in Amity, Mo., after spending a few weeks here with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert French and family. While here the Dyer sisters visited friends at Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. French and family and Misses Mary and Frances Dyer, spent Friday evening with friends near Warrensburg.

Tom Allen Smith and little son, Tommie of Independence spent several weeks here with his mother and sister, Mrs. Ocie Smith and Miss Henrietta Smith.

The Houstonia high school and grade school opens on Monday, August 30. The school board has purchased another school bus. One will be driven by John Smith as usual and the other bus by Harry Charles.

The teachers are: Prof. Roy E. Freund, superintendent who has served for a number of years; Miss Elizabeth Parkhurst, principal, who has spent the past month in New York visiting her brothers; Mrs. Agnes Eads, Miss Mary Stephens who has attended the summer term of the university in Laramie, Wyo.; Miss Christine Vanatta who attended the C. M. S. T. C., this summer and received her diploma; Paul Killion a graduate of Warrensburg State Teachers' College.

Erna Smith of Barstow, Calif., is spending several weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom N. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tagtmeyer and daughter, Beverly Jean and Mrs. Anna Tagtmeyer, spent Friday at Golden City, with their daughter and sister. Emil Tagtmeyer who had spent the summer in Golden City accompanied them to his home here.

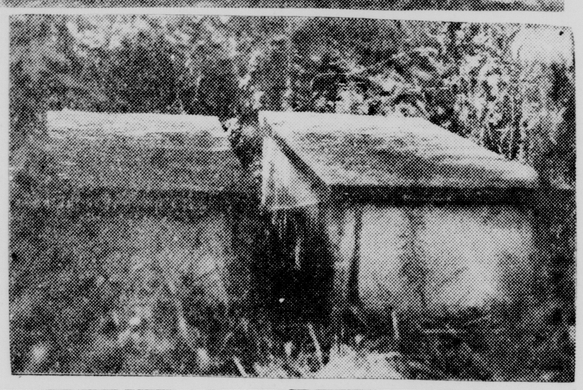
Rev. Wesley Payne of Liberty, Mo., is holding a revival meeting at the mission east of town.

HOLFORD HELD TO CRIMINAL COURT

Ernest Holford, Negro, arrested by Paul E. Corl at Marshall, Mo., for the local police in connection with leaving the scene of an accident at Seventh street and Engineer avenue, August 3, appeared before Judge Charles W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, Saturday, and after a brief hearing was bound over to the action of the October term of criminal court. He was committed to the county jail in default of a $2,000 bond.

Holford, it was alleged was driving a car which struck a Democrat-Capital circulation automobile, and also another car, then disappeared.

Believed Oldest House In Pettis County



The brick home above is located on the Georgetown - Hughesville road northwest of Sedalia was built in 1840 byGeneral David Thompson, a great grandfather of David W. Thompson 521½ West Fifth street. It is now occupied by Lee May and family. General Thompson, who served in the war of 1812, came to Pettis County in 1832. The picture below shows the graves of General Thompson and his wife, who were buried in a private cemetery on the farm, where many other members of the family are also buried.

Sedalian Finds Pottery Relics In Ancient Mound

The two pieces of pottery in top row and one in center of bottom row were used as water bottles. They are bright red and glazed and considered rare specimens. The two pieces on either end of bottom row are effigies and show much usage.

The tiny pots shown in above photograph were probably toys and used when a small vessel was needed. The large pot on the upper row is a cooking vessel and also the effigy pot in the center of the bottom row. It still shows smoke stains. The other three pots are water bottles. In every Caddo grave you will find one of these.

The pottery shown in these pictures was dug from a mound by G. D. Householder, 732 East Fourth street, Sedalia, who for some years has had a hobby for this sort of work.

Last December Mr. Householder located the mound in the St. Francis river bottom, eastern Arkansas, not far from the river. The mound is about 300 feet long, 100 feet wide and 25 feet high from the ground level.

It is Mr. Householder's opinion that the mound at one time was much higher, probably 40 or 50 feet. There are burials all around it from 50 to 100 feet in all directions. However, there doesn't appear to be any burials in the main part of the mound.

The pottery is buried from 18 inches to 6 feet deep indicating that there were evidently two distinct cultures that had used this mound and inhabited the district. The first, no doubt, were the Mound Builders who really built most of the mounds in Missouri, Arkansas and Eastern Oklahoma, probably 10,000 years ago. After the Mound Builders left or became extinct, then the Caddos came along and took up their habitation in the same locality. They also were makers of pottery and their designs are very similar to those of the Mound Builders; also the materials used in making pottery are about the same—clay mixed with ground mussel shells, the latter making the pottery much more durable because it served the purpose of a binder or adhesive. The Caddos were of considerable intelligence and industrious in habits.

The mound revealed pots of many kinds, for cooking and carrying water, also ornamental and ceremonial pieces used by the chiefs and medicine men on special occasions.

The Caddo Indian might give up every other earthly possession, but always retained his water bottle to be buried with his body. It was filled with herbs or a tea by the medicine men so he would have nourishment on his way to the Happy Hunting Ground.

The mound served two purposes, for ceremonials and worship with burials all around it; and as a place of refuge for defense or in time of high water.

From the type of pottery found, flint spades, etc., there is definite proof that the inhabitants were agriculturists and did not depend on wild game for their food. However, the deer, wild turkey and fish caught in and near the river were a part of their subsistence. The braves did the hunting and fishing while the squaws tilled the soil and harvested the crops.

"In my excavating," Mr. Householder states, "I found parts of deer and buffalo horns some of which were used as awls and scrapers while other pieces were in their natural form. Many of the burials show definite signs of cremation since many of the graves contain much charcoal and burned clay in chunks."

There are very few arrow heads in the graves although there are a few boat stones and banner stones. A good many clay pipes are found, most of them made in effigy of frogs, turkey heads, eagle and human heads. The pipes found are of the Mound Builder type.

4-H Club Style Winners

Left to right: Mary Tuggle, Pin Oak; Lila Mae McKenzie, Bowling Green, who won second award; Martha Jane Stephens, Bowling Green and Lorraine Spaits, Bowling Green, who won first award.

Sweet Springs Items

(By Mrs. Waldo Andrew)

Mrs. R. H. Wall left Sunday for Colorado Springs, where she will join Mr. Wall who has been spending the past month in New Mexico. They will return home October 1.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Gore and daughter, Miss Frances, left Sunday for Duluth, Minn. Dr. Gore and Frances will remain two weeks, but Mrs. Gore will stay longer. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. David Gore of Dallas, Tex.

Dr. James Jarvis of Kansas City spent Thursday evening here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Jarvis.

Miss Anna Rose Harrison spent last week in Marshall with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Bennett and Mr. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs.. A. E. Stuerke and Rev and Mrs. Clark W. Comstock spent Tuesday in Kansas City.

Mrs. Don Lamm and daughter, Henrietta, of Sedalia, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Ruth Weir and family.

Mrs. Hugh Hill and Mrs. Orville Cayton returned Sunday from a visit in New York with their brother, Forrest Long.

Mrs. Margaret Reavis arrived Saturday from Jefferson City to spend her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Tisdale.

Miss Edna Miller left last week for a visit with friends in Colorado.

Mrs. D. E. Smith, Mrs. A. F. G'Sell, Mrs. R. L. Wall and Morris John, spent Wednesday in Kansas City.

Wilfred Parsons, of Kansas City, spent Sunday with friends here.

Edgar Hancock, of Los Angeles, is here for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Berry. His mother Mrs. Earl Denny and Mr. Denny of Richmond also spent the week-end in the Berry home.

Mrs. William Rogers, Mrs. Letha Lewis and son, Vernon, and W. D. Farris of La Monte, were guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andrew and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reavis of Kansas City, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Tisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reid, Mrs. N. L Yankee, Misses Kate and Dollie Andrew, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schondelmaier near Houstonia.

Mrs. George Brown of Warrensburg came Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dierking. She was accompanied here by her sister Miss Georgetta Dierking who has been visiting in Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. King Parsons and daughter, Maurine of Sedalia, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Scrivner and son Charles Lee, returned Friday night from Kansas City where Charles Lee had been in St. Luke's hospital recovering from a broken arm.

C. A. Jackson and about twenty of his vocational agriculture boys left Monday for a fishing trip near Fairfield.

Misses Marjorie and Genevieve Lynch who have been attending the university at Columbia this summer are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lynch.

Mrs. Burton Arnold of Joplin, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. C. K. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Lemmons and sons, J. C. and Buddy, attended a picnic dinner at Liberty Park in Sedalia Sunday.

Miss Helen Vogelmeyer has been elected to the position in the grade school made vacant by the resignation of Miss Mary Russell.

The union church services were held at the band park Sunday evening. Rev. J. E. Wylie of the Presbyterian church gave the sermon and Rev. R. C. Eddins of the Baptist church conducted the song service.

A. G. Smith who is in a critical condition at the Veterans hospital in Excelsior Springs is some better.

Miss Sylvia Smith of Kansas City, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. F. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Chatham and Mr. and Mrs. W E Andrew were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stuerke Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Coulter of Kansas City spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Coulter.

Clarksburg Items

(By Mrs. Maude Albin)

Frank Thomas Clutter, born February 3, 1909, died August 12. He had been in failing health for a few years and was in the sanitarium at Mt. Vernon. Funeral services were held at the Christian church Sunday afternoon, Rev. H. A. Wood, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. The pall bearers were: William Baker, Frank Winebrenner, William Bruce, Charlie Albin, Fred Birdsong and Hartley Sappington. Those surviving are his father, Stewart Clutter, one brother, Edward and five half-brothers. Burial was in the Sappington cemetery north of town.

Among those who attended the funeral of Frank Clutter from a distance were Mrs. Cluttter's mother, Mrs. Dickneit and son Leo from Maries county and Marie Dickneit from St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wingate and niece Irene Wingate of St. Louis spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. Mollie Wingate returned with them after having spent two weeks in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wingate.

Dr. Potts of Tipton called here Sunday evening to see Creed Powell who is quite sick in the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell.

Fred Carpenter and George Albin were business visitors in California Wednesday.

Prof. N. C. Curry and wife returned Saturday from a week's visit with their daughter and family at New Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughn of Boonville spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scholl of Cooper county were Sunday afternoon callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Albin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell and Mrs. L. J. Stephens were business visitors in California Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, who have been spending the summer in Denver, Colo., arrived home Saturday. They will remain here a month, after which they will return to Denver where Mr. Wright will have work as a painter. They expect to spend the winter there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Van Stratten had as their guests last Sunday their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Van Stratten and daughter Bonnie and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kline of Overton, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bailey of Smithton and Mrs. Marvin Vaughn of Woolridge.

All day services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday, August 22. Basket dinner will be served at the noon hour.

Rev. Clifford Ingles filled his regular appointment at Mt. Moriah church last Sunday. There will be preaching each night of this week at that place.

A social was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin Saturday evening. A large crowd was present. Refreshments were served during the latter part of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephens and little daughters Darlene and Shirley Jean of Keytesville spent Wednesday night in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stephens. On Thursday morning they returned to their home taking his parents with them for a visit. They remained until Sunday when Raymond and family brought them back home. Raymond is engaged in road project work.

Mrs. Tandy Williams is still seriously ill.

Luther Allee who has been dangerously ill in the Bothwell hospital, Sedalia, is slightly improved.

Mrs. George Morrison and son and Mrs. Howard Fullerton of Sedalia spent Sunday with Miss Anna Elliott and mother.

Mrs. Sarah Wilson and daughter Anna, had as their guests last week Mrs. Ruth Burford and Mrs. Naive of Sedalia.

Edward B. Gibson

Aged Pettis Countian, former extensive landowner and banker of Houstonia vicinity who died at the home of his son here Sunday night.

Won Amateur Contest

Callis Johnson, 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Add Johnson, Clifton City, who won first in the amateur contest held recently in Boonville. She gave a tap dance act, a jockey dance and wore a jockey costume.

Syracuse Items

(By Miss Caroline Schroeder)

Donald Lee Porter is visiting with his brother, T. C., in Lebanon.

Miss Wilma Self returned to St. Louis Sunday after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Self and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perkins and son Bobby of Pueblo, Colo., came Friday for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Salmons and family.

Rev. and Mrs. George L. Newkirk and family had as their visitors Sunday morning Mrs. Newkirk's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Eagington, of Minnesota, also Mrs. Eagington's mother, Mrs. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of St. Louis.

The Girl Scouts returned Sunday evening after spending from Wednesday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Vilhauer at Springfield. While there they enjoyed swimming, boat riding and other sports. There were about 15 with Mr. and Mrs. John Engel and daughter Margaret Ann, who enjoyed the camping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perkins and son Bobby of Pueblo, Colo., spent Sunday with his brother, Estelle Perkins and family and his sister, Mrs. Lydith Putnam and daughters Imogene and Jessie.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Schroeder and family attended the camp meeting services held by the Methodist denomination near Lutman Sunday. Music was furnished by the Smithton band.

Henry Volkhart, of California, was a Syracuse business visitor Monday morning.

Miss Elsie Burns who has been in St. Louis the past two weeks returned to Syracuse Sunday afternoon where she will remain for a couple of weeks before going back to St. Louis where she has employment.

Miss Marjorie Mais spent Saturday with her bother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mais of Sedalia.

Kathaleen Fowler, of Sedalia, is visiting her cousin, Josephine Fowler.

Harold Austin, of Kansas City, is visiting his cousin, C. B. Allison.

Walker Carpenter, of Sedalia, spent Sunday in Syracuse.

Harry Maloney, of Strausburg, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maloney, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Leslie, formerly of Syracuse, now of Kansas visited friends in Syracuse Sunday afternoon.

Lucille Howard has been visiting the last few weeks in Warrensburg, Lexington and Houstonia.

Miss Elizabeth Bahrenburg visited in Kansas City a few days last week.

Mrs. Frank Knipp and Miss Caroline Schroeder were Sedalia visitors Thursday.

Miss Anna May Howard who is in Jefferson City spent Sunday with her parents. Her sister Linnie returned with her to spend this week.

Mrs. Carl Howard and Mrs. Ralph Howard were visitors of Mrs. Austin Lewis Monday of last week.

The Syracuse 4-H clubs met at the home of the leader, Mrs. John Engel, Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by the president, Dina Alice Maloney. The Sewing Class No. 1 finished the garments they started at the last meeting. Some of the others present finished their darning. The Sewing Class No. 2 started making dresses. At the next meeting the No. 1 sewing class are to bring enough material to make slips. The No. 2 sewing class will finish their dresses. Refreshments were served.

Good Crops to The North

Homer Vance, Sedalian, who travels up north, writes The Democrat from St. James, Minn., sending some newspaper clippings, stating they have wonderful crops there and everybody is happy and prosperous. Each farmer, he states, has from 35 to 100 head of hogs and they are high—cattle the same.

Massacre of Spanish Caravan of 1720 By Pawnees on the Nebraska Plains

Compiled by State Historical Society, Floyd C. Shoemaker, Sec'y.

In the struggle for empire between France and Spain in the new world, few events stand out more dramatically than the massacre of the Spanish Caravan which took place at the hands of the Pawnees on the plains of Nebraska August 16, 1720. As a result of this historic event, Spain was definitely eliminated from ancient Quivira and the first French military post established in what is now Missouri.

Many conflicting stories exist of this famous expedition which is considered by historians to have been a move by the Spanish to thwart the French in the upper Mississippi valley. According to early sources, the Spanish launched the expedition with the intention of establishing a permanent settlement and of exterminating the Missouris, Indian allies of the French. Instead, the caravan, on arriving at its destination, mistook the Missouris for friendly Osages, confided in them their malign purpose and were slaughtered to a man with the single exception of a priest. Bossu, whose account was for many years generally accepted, states that the caravan numbered 1,500 men, women and children. Other authorities range the number down to fifty.

Comparatively recent researches in the archives at Santa Fe by Professor John B. Dunbar yield an interesting and scholarly account of this Spanish caravan, or, as it is more properly known, the Villazur expedition. Though Professor Dunbar's findings estimate the members of the Spanish Caravan at but forty, his story is no less dramatic and fruitful of historical significance.

The immediate situation giving rise to the dispatching of the Spanish Caravan, according to Professor Dunbar, was the plains Indian situation. In 1718 or 1719, previous to the slaughter of the caravan in 1720, Governor Don Antonio Valverde Cossio of New Mexico, in leading a force of 105 armed Spaniards against a hostile confederation of Indians, learned of the existence of a village of the dreaded Pawnees near the confluence of the north and south forks of the Platte. These Indians, the Spanish were informed, were in alliance with French allies and stood in hostile opposition to any encroachment by the Spanish into what was considered by the latter as Spanish territory. Valverde no sooner heard the news than he scurried back toward Santa Fe and immediately reported his findings to Viceroy Marques Valero of Mexico City.

Place Responsibility

Responsibility for the subsequent disaster upon the Platte Professor Dunbar places squarely upon Valverde. Ordered by the Viceroy to lead a punitive expedition against the Pawnee village, Valverde was too cowardly to assume what was his obvious duty. He not only placed the task upon Villazur but alloted him a mere handful of forty men for the hazardous duty.

June 14, 1720, Villazur, heading his ill-fated caravan, set out from Santa Fe on the 550 mile overland march to the Pawnee village. Whereas the previous year Valverde had required a much larger force for a far less dangerous expedition, Villazur was obliged to take the field with a pitifully small force against a hostile tribe that had been training for more than a year for the impending contest with the Spaniards.

One hundred and ten miles north of Santa Fe at Jacarilla on the present southern border of Colorado, the expedition made its first halt. Here they secured a force of friendly Indians to serve as outrunners and bowmen. From El Quartelejo, at or near the common border of Kansas and Colorado, commenced the long and wearying 190 mile march through barren country to the Pawnee village in Nebraska, which was sighted in the early afternoon of August 15.

The Spanish pitched camp in an open space not far distant from the Indian village. Villazur, alarmed by the large delegation of Indian visitors determined that on the next day he would retire one day's march southward from the Platte. That night, the Pawnees and their armed French allies gathered quietly on the north bank of the river, swam silently across the channel one by one, and crept through the dense grass to the edge of the silent camp. The next morning, on August 16, the surprise attack was precipitated. In a merciless slaughter lasting but fifteen or twenty minutes, the Spaniards were annihilated. But six or seven lone survivors returned with news of the disaster to Santa Fe.

The historic import of the event was momentous. France, awakened by the episode to the necessity of a military occupation of the Missouri, commissioned Bourgmond to build Fort Orleans in 1723 in present day Carroll county. This fort was the first French military post on what is now Missouri soil. The issue of the contest and the establishment of the fort definitely terminated for several decades Spanish sway in the upper Mississippi valley.

Valverde, the chief culprit in the affair, was later brought to trial by the Spanish authorities for his part in the shameless slaughter and fined 200 pesos.

Senator Black Buys Washington Home on The Installment Plan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Senator Hugo L. Black hadn't been in Washington a year until he bought a house on the installment plan.

Now it looks as if the senator ought to get that house paid for ahead of time.

A supreme court justice gets $20,000 a year. As senator, Black has been getting $10,000.

It is his home life, friends said today, that means more than anything to the 51-year-old Alabaman. He takes only a passing interest in golf, and only his conception of responsibility brings him to the office after dark or on weekends.

He walks in a quick, almost jerky gait. He's even a little pigeon-toed but few people notice it. They are too interested in watching his expressive face.

The senator is a cigar-chewer of the old school. Doctors told him to quit smoking but he clings to his stogie. Unlighted, it shifts from one corner of his mouth to the other, pauses and then starts all over again.

A native of Clay county, Ala., Black was born in 1886, and attended public schools in the little town of Ashland. Later at the wish of his parents he attended Birmingham Medical college for a year, but switched to the law school at the University of Alabama.

He started practice at Birmingham, and held minor public offices before his election to the senate as a "dark horse" candidate in 1926.

Mrs. Black is the former Miss Josephine Foster. Their children are Hugo, Jr., 15; Sterling, 11, and Martha Josephine, 3.

The Blacks take little stock in Washington society.

Mrs. Black is still going to school. She attends university classes for two hours every morning to get the degree she sacrificed when she left Sweet Briar college to join the Yeomanettes during the World War

She is 38, slim, and blue-eyed. Her fluffy bobbed hair has been prematurely white nearly as long as 15-year-old Hugo, Jr., eldest of her three children, can remember.

She plays golf with her husband and admits smilingly that he always beats her.

When Mrs. Black isn't busy coraling her lively three-year-old daughter, Josephine, or answering questions of alert, 12-year-old Sterling, she takes a turn at writing.

"I wouldn't mention it," she said today. "My son is probably correct when he says I 'try to write.' I've never had anything published.

A native of Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. Black was attached to the naval intelligence service in New York during the war. The senator was a captain in the artillery when she met him.

Mrs. Black had little comment when asked about her husband's judicial qualifications.

"He's done a good job of deciding the children's disputes," she grinned.

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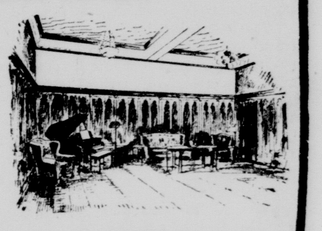

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